



START SEARCH FOR ITALIAN PLANE

MISSING FLIER LAST SIGHTED 275 MILES OUT

**U. S. Cruisers And Natives
Conduct Extensive Search
For Lieut. Locatelli, But
Fog Prevents Planes Part-
icipating In Hunt—U. S.
Aviators To Resume Trip
Sunday**

(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Lieut. Locatelli, Italian flier, who left with the American world flight squadron to accompany them on the hop from Iceland to Greenland, but who now is missing, was last sighted 275 miles northeast of Fredericksdal, Greenland, on the exact course plotted for the flight from Reykjavik, Iceland, to Fredericksdal.

Wireless reports from Admiral Magruder, commanding the American naval craft supporting the fliers in the arctic waters were received today by the Navy Department and contained first definite information, which air service experts believe will prove helpful to the search for Lieut. Locatelli. Admiral Magruder's despatch said: "Plane is Italian, aviator is lost in fog. When sighted last, plane was in latitude 61-30, longitude 23-30 (about 275 miles northeast of Fredericksdal) at 14:30 G. M. T. 2:30 p. m. Greenwich mean time, August 21. Search is being conducted for it by Raleigh, Richmond and Barry."

"Flight to Indian Harbor being guarded by Milwaukee and four destroyers. It is requested that the U. S. B. 10, sent with despatch to Bay Island, west coast of Newfoundland."

Reference to the "flight to Indian Harbor" was accepted by army air service officials, meaning that the destroyers and cruisers had been detailed by Admiral Magruder to support the fliers over the route between Fredericksdal and Ivigtut.

The light cruiser Detroit was ordered today by the Navy Department to proceed at once from Newport, R. I., to St. Johns, N. B., to join the naval patrol in safeguarding the American fliers on the flight from Indian Harbor to Labrador to Boston.

PLANES UNABLE TO SEARCH
(By The Associated Press.)
ABOARD U. S. S. RICHMOND, Aug. 23.—Lieut. Locatelli, Italian transatlantic aviator, who started on his hop from Iceland to Greenland, was still missing with his companions at 8 o'clock this morning.

The U. S. Raleigh, one of the sea-going vessels reports that it is too foggy along the Greenland coast to permit the use of air-planes in the search.

CRUISERS SEARCHING
ABOARD U. S. S. DESTROYER BARRY, WELL, GREENLAND, Aug. 22.—(8 p. m.)—By The Associated Press (Fliers).—The U. S. cruisers Richmond and Raleigh and the destroyer (Continued on Page Three)

**FLOATING CABARET WAS
PHANTOM SHIP SAILING
A SEA OF IMAGINATION**

**Famous Rum Ship, Vividly
Described By New York
Reporter, Proves Imagin-
ary When Reporter Ad-
mits Yarn Was False And
Resigns**

(By The Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Old sea-farers, bootleggers and prohibition officers smiled cynically and said "I told you so" whenever the 17,000-ton floating cabaret was mentioned, and it was mentioned often. For the famous rum ship was admitted last night to be a phantom ship that sailed only on the nebulous seas of a reporter's imagination.

For the reporter who perpetrated the hoax is no longer on the staff of the New York Herald-Tribune, which published the story August 16 and the paper has printed a retraction of the article, with an explanation of how it all happened.

It seems that ten days ago some one of credibility was respected told the Herald-Tribune that a large ship was anchored twelve miles off our coast between Bayshore and West-hampton and was dispensing liquor to all those who had the hardihood and the wherewithal to board her.

The reporter was assigned to "get the story" and after two days absence from the office he reported that he had it. He wrote a graphic description of a sumptuous floating bar with luxurious appointments that would shame the still rooms of the most exclusive continental hotels. He described the ship her crew, the habitues and even gave her exact location.

In fact he described everything too well, too accurately. Certain of victory, who had named that spot on the night he said he spent aboard the craft, when queried about her, said they had not seen a flicker of light anywhere near the spot where she was supposed to lay at anchor. This, despite the fact that he said she was brilliantly illuminated.

The captain of the Seneca, the revenue cutter, that was assigned by the government to run her down, after searching the coast for miles around, reported that he had found no trace of her.

Searches were organized and the Herald-Tribune instituted an independent investigation. Soon it became

MARX URGES GERMANY TO ACCEPT

POOL TO COMBAT "PLOT" DAVES PLAN HER

ONLY SALVATION REICHSTAG TOLD

DAWES COMES OUT AGAINST KU KLUX KLAN

**Issue Has No Proper Part
In Campaign, He Tells
Audience.**

(By The Associated Press.)
AUGUSTA, Maine, Aug. 23.—Charles G. Dawes, the Republican nominee for president, declared an address here today that he was "opposed" to the Ku Klux Klan, although he realized that many had become members of it in the interest of law and order.

Appeals to racial, religious or class prejudices by minority organizations, he declared, "are opposed to the welfare of all civilized communities."

"The Ku Klux Klan in many localities and among many people," he said, "represents only an instinctive groping for leadership, moving in the interest of law enforcement which they do not find in many cowardly politicians and officeholders. But it is not the right way to forward law enforcement."

(By The Associated Press.)
AUGUSTA, Maine, Aug. 23.—General Dawes is his campaign speech here this afternoon said: "I first desire to speak, as Mr. Dawes did yesterday, relative to the Ku Klux Klan. I agree with him that it has no proper part in this or any other campaign. But whether proper or not, its question in this campaign is a mobilization of racialism under La Follette, the largest section of which the socialists, fly the red flag, is attacking the constitution of the United States."

"The question of Mr. Panikoff, which appears in the press this morning, are the familiar trick questions of the ordinary politicians. They are not the cause of the statement 'I am about to make.'"

"Let me say at once that I recognize that Ku Klux Klan in many localities and among many people represents only an instinctive groping for leadership, moving in the interest of law enforcement, which they do not find in many cowardly politicians and officeholders. But it is not the right way to forward law enforcement. Let us consider for a minute what happened in the state of Oklahoma. Governor Walton was elected governor of the state. In his campaign he had not preached the doctrine—so it seemed to me at least—which was the proper one to be preached under the American flag."

"Then he was elected, and he was elected to remove the president of the University of Oklahoma, a man who believed in the old fashioned doctrines of the constitution, to establish which our forebears had fought and died. In that position a socialist who was likely to teach the young men of that state new fashioned doctrines, which, to say the least, are not those of constitutional Americanism."

"Then looked upon the state of Oklahoma as a state of lawless criminals from the penitentiary. Law enforcement prevailed in many places in the state."

"If there could be an excuse for law abiding citizens to be themselves together secret organizations for law enforcement, it existed in Oklahoma and the Klan became a powerful organization."

"What happened then? Then back stepped Governor Walton to the American flag, and he kept very close up to that time and called out the militia of the state. Then it was that those who had joined the Klan in the interest of law and order found themselves arrayed against the flag and the state of Oklahoma. A situation akin to that of the civil war existed and it was averted only by a few clear headed men."

"And then what happened? There was the application of the only method by which our people can properly settle such differences—the procedure outlined by the constitution and laws of the state of Oklahoma. Walton was removed from the governorship by the vote of the people and law was restored under the constitution provided by the orderly process of the state of Oklahoma and the law."

HALIFAX MOVE WILL BE NIPPED IF IT SPREADS

**Co-Operative Marketing
Officials Primed For Battle
By Injunction — Al-
leged Effort To Ruin Pool
To Be Exposed By Tucker
Watkins**

W. W. Shappard, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of South Boston has resigned as custodian of funds being collected to defray expenses for an investigation of the Tobacco Growers' Co-Operative Marketing Association. He announced so over long distance telephone this afternoon. Promoters of the organization, he said, have decided to secure the services of one of the pool members "because it would be better." Shappard said he had been approached by customers of the bank to perform the office but that since it has created such comment that he decided to resign.

The Tobacco Growers' Co-Operative Marketing Association moved today to combat an organization which has been in course of organization for the past four weeks in Halifax county, the ends of which, it is said is to disrupt the "pool" organization.

The movement which is said to be in course of development at South Boston, Danville, Petersburg, Blackstone and Lynchburg, all strong pooling depots for the organization, reached the light of publicity yesterday when it became known in advices from Halifax county that the overt act has been actually taken.

A number of contracts are being circulated in that section among members of the Association in which they pledge a five dollar (Continued on Page Three.)

GOLF FAIRWAY GIVEN O. K. AS LANDING SITE

**Langley Field Wires Af-
firmative Report To Com-
manding Officer**

Flight Lieutenant John A. Collins of Langley Field and his mechanic, Sergeant William Perry, left Danville this morning in the speedy DeHavilland army airplane in which they arrived from the flying field yesterday after having found a suitable landing field for a formation of ships which may be sent here for the Legion convention. Lieutenant Collins pointed out before leaving that his mission was simply to make an official report on landings and that though his would be favorable for light ships he did not have authority to say that the craft would be sent.

The Chamber of Commerce, however, continued its aggressive fight to win this feature for the convention. Gardner's farm for the convention and a direct appeal was made this morning by Secretary E. R. Diggs to Col. Harry Graham, commanding officer of Langley Field.

Lieutenant Collins made a landing yesterday evening on a field on W. E. Gardner's farm with some difficulty. The map showed him an excellent field but it was rather bumpy and, as he expressed it, it was only by the "grace of God" that he did not wash his ship. Prior to his landing he had flown all over the city and its environs but had not found a good place for a formation of planes. On landing, however, Secretary Diggs motored him out to a point near Lima where it was thought a good field had been secured.

And late last night the chances of the Danville convention seeing any air-ships at all, seemed rather slim. At seven o'clock this morning, however, C. O. Holland and Mr. Diggs carried Lieutenant Collins out to the Stakesland golf links. By pre-arrangement the club officials had consented to allow the use of fairway No. two, as a landing place, should it be considered suitable. Lieutenant Collins found it to be a smooth and excellent two-way landing field and he telephoned (Continued on Page Three.)

WICKER IS HERE AND STAGE SET FOR CONVENT'N

**Department Commander
Arrives To Check Over
Plans For Annual Meet**

J. J. Wicker, Jr., of Richmond, commander of the Virginia Department arrived here this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock as the advance guard of the host of buddies who will be on hand Monday morning when the sixth annual convention gets under way.

He was met by a committee and was escorted to the Burton Hotel where he will maintain his personal headquarters during the convention.



Dr. Charles A. Dyer of Jewel Ridge, vice commander of the Virginia Department is expected to arrive on train No. 35 and during the evening it is expected that several members of the executive committee will be on hand.

The executive committee is to meet in its selected room in the Temple at three o'clock Sunday to prepare the annual report and to designate the personnel of the convention committees.

Post Commander W. H. Cousins this morning reported that the scene is well set for the convention and that all that the Danville Police could do today was suspended from the evening of delegates had been done. A careful check of the plans has been made.

No reply had come this morning from Major General John L. Hines (Continued on Page Three.)

Officer Who Shot Girl Is Suspended

(By The Associated Press.)
WINCHESTER, Va., Aug. 23.—Police Officer Ben Arnel, who Wednesday night shot Miss Mabel Jenkins, mistaking her, he said, for a white-robed klansman that had frightened his sister, today was suspended from the city force by Mayor Glass.

After an investigation which he said "seems to establish a prima facie case of reckless use of fire arms," the mayor announced his decision and added that upon the recovery of the victim of this unfortunate affair a "complete and orderly hearing of the matter can be held."

Miss Jenkins was carrying a night gown, worn at a theatre on a surprise night. When she was shot according to her statement, she denied having on her garment at the time. Her condition was still serious today.

Arnel, who has not been arrested, rushed the wounded girl to his home and later she was removed to a hospital where it was stated he offered to pay all expenses.

Darrow Occupies Courtroom Today

(By The Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Clarence S. Darrow today started the second day of his plea for Richard Loeb and Nathan F. Leopold, Jr. He said he would not finish his plea in the short session today.

MAT NELSON IS RESTING EASILY AFTER ACCIDENT

**May Have Broken Ribs But
X-ray Will Determine—
Is In The Hospital**

Mat O. Nelson, well known Danville warehouseman who was injured yesterday afternoon near Radford, N. C. in an automobile wreck and who was brought to Danville in an invalid car early today was reported this morning as resting well. He is at the General Hospital largely for the purpose of being X-rayed to determine definitely if he has two or three fractured ribs as is feared. This could not be done this morning for Mr. Nelson is so bruised and sore that it would be highly painful to remove him on a wheel cot into the x-ray room.

Mrs. Nelson reported this morning that he was cheerful and was suffering no discomfort so long as he remained quiet.

With Mr. Nelson in the car was L. G. Martin who was bruised but otherwise unhurt in the accident.

Mr. Nelson is operating a tobacco warehouse at Farmington during the South Carolina season. It is his custom to return to Danville for the week-end. He started yesterday with Mr. Martin, one of his associates, in the latter's Ford roadster, driven by Red Springs and Radford, N. C. Martin was about to pass a larger car driven, it was later found by a Mr. Harnett, pulled over to the right as Mr. Nelson obeyed the warning that another car was about to overtake him. In reality, it is said, Harnett did not hear the horn and was merely pulling to the right side to make a wide sweep into a private road on the left. Just as Martin gave this car the gas for the necessary spur of speed, Harnett veered to the left and the crash occurred. Martin's car turned over twice and was demolished, both occupants being thrown out. Passing motorists gave such aid as they could. Not long after the crash Rupert Lewis also of Danville passed by and found the damaged cars. Messrs. Nelson and Martin continued their journey after a short pause as far as Greensboro, N. C. In the meantime his family had been notified and the ymet him there with F. W. Townes invalid car and Mrs. Nelson who had gone some distance in the machine returned with both patients.

The long deliberations, said the chancellor, the Germans came to the conclusion that to refuse the French offer would be to postpone the settlement of the Ruhr question indefinitely and would only make conditions worse.

He pointed out that the French Premier held forth prospects that the Ruhr evacuation might be accomplished in less time than the stipulated period of one year.

Dr. Marx warned the Reichstag that industry and agriculture would suffer more than ever from lack of capital and credit if the Germans rejected the decision which was probable that the German currency would not resist fresh depreciation. In conclusion the chancellor said: "The Reichstag is confronted with a terrible responsibility. It would be a decision which would give Germany a new economic life and opportunity to regain her strength and would restore German freedom, especially in the occupied regions."

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200 Thought To Be Trapped In Mine, Are Safe

(By The Associated Press.)
COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 23.—No one was injured in a fire which broke out late yesterday in the Lincoln mine near Bridgeport, in Adams county, Ohio, according to reports received here today by the Lorain Coal and Dock Company, owners of the mine.

The fire was caused by crossed electric lights, wires, according to the reports received here. Black Diamond, the mine was sealed and the fire was reported under control this morning.

COLUMBUS, Aug. 23.—Seven state mine inspectors and two mine rescue trucks were rushed to Blaine, Ohio, today by the state division of mines upon receipt of word that the Lincoln mine had exploded and was burning furiously.

The mine, owned by the Lorain coal and dock company of Columbus, employs about 200 men but first reports did not indicate whether any of the men were caught in the mine. Blaine is near the Lorain river from Wheeling, W. Va. The fire is serious and the mine probably will have to be sealed according to reports here. Black Diamond, the mine was sealed and the fire was reported under control this morning.

WHEELING, W. Va., Aug. 23.—One hundred and fifty miners at work in the Lincoln mine of the Lorain coal and dock company mine at Lansing, Ohio, four miles west of here, escaped unhurt late yesterday when an electric trolley wire in the mine fell, short circuited on a rail and set the mine afire.

Three Killed
In Gun Fight

(By The Associated Press.)
MARQUETTE, Mich., Aug. 23.—Chief of Police Martin Ford, Patrolman Thomas Thornton and an unidentified man said to have been a parked car, were killed and the chief's son, Lloyd, was seriously wounded in a running fight that began early today when the patrolman found the men attempting to break in a

CHURCH NOTICE
Second Baptist Church.—Sunday school at 9:40 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. O. A. Quinn and at night by Rev. T. E. Feters. E. Y. P. U. meeting at 7:30 p. m.

TO BEGIN REVIVAL
G. W. Amos and R. C. Harbour will commence a revival at Olney Branch in Franklin county on Sunday night. Services will begin each night at 7:30 o'clock.

Thinks Co-Op Only Hope For Farmers

FARMVILLE, Va., Aug. 22.—President J. D. Eggleston, of Hampden-Sydney College and former superintendent of public instruction for Virginia, told 200 tobacco farmers here today that if they do not stick to the Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association they will have to starve or go out of the tobacco growing business. Preaching from the Bible text: "First not thyself because of evil doers: be not envious of them that do not justly," President Eggleston declared that the money today in the pockets of the tobacco growers outside of the association is there because of the work of organized farmers. Members of the association from five Virginia counties cheered when President Eggleston declared that he might be sorry that he will stay on the outside of an association and reap all the benefits while the neighbors pull the team.

Oliver J. Sands, of Richmond, director at large for the association, challenged the audience to deny that the tobacco association had increased the price of tobacco a hundred per cent. above pre-war levels in view of the fact that prices for wheat, corn and hay have risen only from five to twenty per cent. above pre-war levels during the past two years. He ridiculed the attempt of the speculative interest to disrupt the tobacco association, particularly the recent attempt to start litigation against the marketing association among its five thousand members in Halifax county, Virginia.

More eloquent than the addresses of the day was the statement of a farmer member of the tobacco association who mounted the platform to confess that he had broken his contract and would never again break faith with his neighbors by selling tobacco on the auction floors. A picnic dinner and band concert followed today's meeting which was one of the largest and most enthusiastic demonstrations for co-operative marketing ever held in this section.

VIRGINIA BRIEFS

FREDERICKSBURG, Va., Aug. 22.—Sterling Byrd Lacy, a native of this city who now resides at Brand Junction, Colorado, has been nominated as Democratic candidate for lieutenant-governor of Colorado.

NORFOLK, Va., Aug. 22.—Among various features of the Norfolk Fair which will open September 1, will be a bathing contest in which girls from all Tidewater Virginia cities will enter.

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 22.—Governor E. Lee Trinkle, acting Adjutant-General Joseph LeMasurier expect to visit the summer encampment of the 11th Virginia field artillery at Fort Bragg, N. C., September 29, where they will probably be joined by the governor of North Carolina and part of his staff.

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 22.—Large delegation of city officials and representatives of civic and patriotic organizations will attend the Atlantic Seaboard Waterways Association sessions at Newark, N. J., September 16 to lay down Virginia's case for deeper and shorter James river channel.

PETERSBURG, Va., Aug. 22.—Marie Louise Glenn aged 15 and weighing 190 pounds according to police records, is reported missing from her home here since Monday.

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 22.—Union Seminary officials announce they expect largest enrollment of students in history of institution when session opens September 24.

STAUNTON FIREMEN SWEEP HONORS AT CONVENTION (By The Associated Press.)

HARRISONBURG, Va., Aug. 22.—Staunton volunteer firemen made a clean sweep of the honors at the state convention of the firemen's association here today. Not satisfied with winning the open and state prizes in the company hose races they also triumphed in the individual 100 yard dash when Lerner crossed the finish line ahead of all competitors.

In the open event the Staunton company made the remarkable time 26.2 second and then won the state race in 27.1. By virtue of these victories they carried off \$250 in cash and the state trophy.

Orange and Lexington ran second in the state and open races respectively.

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HUNT'S DAILY LETTER

By HARRY B. HUNT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—J. R. McCall, comptroller general of the United States, is a brave man.

For the past 18 months McCall has been demonstrating his courage by telling cabinet members and departmental bureau chiefs where they "get off" in matters of government expenditure. McCall even has overriden opinions of the Department of Justice in his rulings as to the illegality of certain disbursements, and on one occasion took direct issue with no less an official than the president of the United States, who was basing his views on a report by an assistant attorney general.

Perhaps McCall's bravery is in part due to the fact that, in his job as chief of the general accounting office, which audits the books of the United States establishment, he is accountable only to Congress. In his construction of the law regarding appropriations and expenditures, he maintains, neither president nor attorney general can overrule him. They can advise, but they can't boss, he says.

He was chosen by Congress to serve a 15-year term which has about 12 years yet to run. So he is not susceptible to normal political pressure, such as might be brought to bear even on a congressional appointee who was named only for the usual two or four years.

McCall's latest demonstration of hardihood, however, is one which he may find more difficult to handle than a mere affair with a cabinet member.

He has served notice that married women in Uncle Sam's employ cannot get their pay unless they receipt the payroll under the name they supposedly acquired when they married.

McCall holds that the husband's name is the legal name of every married woman. There is no freedom of choice by which the bride may legally retain her maiden name after marriage, he formally declares.

As a result, McCall has won the enmity of the Lucy Stone League, the membership of which is made up of married women who choose to retain their maiden names. President of the league is Ruth Hale of New York, who, if she followed McCall's dictum, would sign herself as "Mrs. Heywood Brown."

"McCall's statement is not true," Miss Hale, Mrs. Brown, declares flatly. "If he would look into the matter, he would find there are abundant decisions that the name a woman chooses to use is her legal name and that her baptismal name is accepted on contracts. Mr. McCall went off half-cocked."

So far as Uncle Sam's disbursing officers are concerned, however, McCall's verdict will stand. If the Lucy Stone League can induce Congress to tell Mr. McCall that he is wrong, then and not until then will they accept the signature of the maiden name as a receipt for a married woman employee's bi-weekly pay check.

For they know to do otherwise would be to invite McCall to disapprove the payment and that they'd have to refund the amount.

One intriguing thought intrudes in this case, beyond the views set forth by McCall and the Lucy Stone League.

The case on which the ruling came was that of a nurse at St. Elizabeth's hospital. This is the institution presided over by Dr. W. A. White, who testified to the "mental illness" evidenced by Leopold and Loeb, the Chicago boy murderers, by their complex, psychoses and phantasies.

Might it not be that the insistence of this nurse on using her maiden name was a complex?

Doesn't such stubbornness in the female indicate "mental illness"?

Didn't the doctor overlook a chance right at home to apply his expert knowledge of queer mental quirks?

LABOR M. P.'S COMPLAIN OF THEIR SMALL SALARIES

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Members of the Labor party who have been elected to Parliament find that the salary of £2,000 yearly is barely sufficient. In fact many of them have to supplement their official income by week-end speaking engagements, lectures, and writing magazine articles.

It is said by several members that one of the most expensive items is that of entertaining visitors from constituencies who call to "see how their member is getting on," and incidentally to have a look around and be entertained on the famous terrace to tea or lunch.

NORFOLK POLICE BALL PLAYER IS INJURED

(By The Associated Press.)
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 22.—Misjudging a hard drive which went for a home run into the bleachers, Timothy Murden, left fielder for the Norfolk, Va. police baseball team, crashed into a wall today during a game with the Philadelphia police and suffered a severe contusion over the left eye. Philadelphia won 9 to 5.

Everyman's Investments

By GEORGE T. HUGHES

Sixteenth Article
What Speculation Involves.

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Notwithstanding all that investment advisers may say some people insist upon speculating. Now as to the morality of speculation opinions may differ. It is not my purpose to discuss that point. I do want to point out, however, some of the consequences of embarking upon a speculative venture. Possibly I may be able to help some one decide whether or not he can afford this luxury or whether it would be better for him to confine himself to the investment field.

In the first place then speculation invariably involves loss. All speculators lose, not always but often. The best that can be hoped for is that the profits will over-balance the losses. It follows then that under no circumstances should a speculative venture be entered upon if you cannot afford a loss. In the very nature of things every opportunity for speculative profits involves the possibility of speculative loss. If there were anything sure about a speculation it would not be a speculation. It is also evident that speculation is only for those that command considerable capital. A commanding means may have his mature resources wiped out by one unfortunate venture.

The second thing is that there must be not only the financial ability to accept losses but there must be the temperament. It is very rare few have it and it is probably the chief reason why there are so few successful speculators. To illustrate, a speculator buys a stock in the market that it will advance in price. At once he sells out and pocket the loss. The market has proved that his prediction was correct and his stock advances and a profit accrues. Here too the speculator's opinion has been justified by the market. He must get all possible out of it to compensate himself for the loss that will come sooner or later on some subsequent enterprise. Here too the average man fails. He reaches out and eagerly for the small profit and then he is content to await the large loss. There are other qualifications which a speculator must possess to succeed but to point out these will suffice for the present. If you still think you can win where the game is a risk, go ahead but at your own risk.

(Mr. Hughes' sixty-first article will appear in The Bee next Monday.)

AGITATION IN STATE FOR LONESOME PINE TRAIL

(By The Associated Press.)

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 22.—Enthusiasts who are urging completion of the Lonsome Pine Trail will be given a hearing next Tuesday when highway commissioners from Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee gather at Greenville, Tenn., to discuss the matter. Since its organization, four years ago, the Lonsome Pine Trail Association has worked for the development of an interstate highway from the Ohio to the North Carolina system and to the North Carolina system, which would touch points in both Virginia and Tennessee is now being urged.

Clarence S. Darrow, chief counsel for Nathan F. Leopold and Richard Loeb, in beginning plea for his clients' lives declares Bobby Franks was killed for "the experience" and says act could have been conceived explained only by a "disordered mind."

Short discussions of fundamental issues will be speaking policy of General Charles G. Dawes, he tells group of Connecticut residents at informal reception at Quotsonset golf club, Westbrook, Conn.

Sounds of sham battle in which entire division of national guardsmen participated against imaginary army at Camp Henry Knox are transmitted successfully over radio.

General Pershing will continue to work actively for preparedness after his retirement as chief of staff of United States army, he tells Denver audience in course of speech urging support of government's defense day plans.

Eugene Stack, mail clerk received congratulations from President Coolidge for his bravery in defending the mails. Stack shot and killed a mail bandit on July 21. He lives at East Orange, N. J.

Kills Man, Gets Praise

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HOW SEVEN LIVE ON \$13 A WEEK



Alfred E. Mummery

By MILTON BRONNER
LONDON, Aug. 23.—It is not always easy for the American working-man to make ends meet.

But the lot of the British laborer is far harder still.

Take Alfred E. Mummery, for instance. He is feeding housing and clothing himself, his wife and five children on \$13 a week.

And there are thousands even less fortunate than he.

For Mummery, employed by the street cleaning department of the Borough of Southwark, which is a part of big London, gets more rather than less than the ordinary unskilled worker. He is just an average British workman.

But to get back to his living problem in after-the-war expensive England.

Mummery lives in the Walworth district. His home is on the top floor of a tenement building.

Lucky to Have Three Rooms

There are three rooms—two bedrooms and a room the family uses as a kitchen dining room and sitting room. It is in the latter his children study their lessons every night after supper.

"We rented the flat before the war," Mummery explains. "We are lucky to have it."

"Under the law the landlord cannot put us out so long as we pay our rent, and he can't get over 20 per cent more than we paid before the war."

"Most landlords nowadays, when they get an unfurnished flat vacated, put a few things in it, call it furnished, and ask almost any price they want. And they can put you out almost any time they wish."

"Our landlord installed in our flat a coal stove and a gas stove with a penny-in-the-slot connection of our gas supply. I've paid him nearly \$3 a week."

"In case I get sick, the borough will pay half my wages for six months. If anybody in my family takes ill we get doctors and medicine under the national health act. If we need dentists we get them free through the L.P.C.N. County Council."

"The nine shillings (less than \$2) that I keep for myself, I use partly in keeping up my dues in clubs that pay benefits in case of illness or death. Now I suppose you wonder what we eat. Well, here's about the way it runs."

"Breakfast—Tea, bread and oleomargarine.

"Noon dinner—Meat, greens or cabbage, potatoes, tea.

"Five o'clock tea—Bread, oleomargarine, tea.

"Eight o'clock supper—Bread, cheese, tea.

"My wife uses three or four pounds of tea a week costing one shilling and four pence (30 cents) a pound. We have about eight or nine pounds of sugar a week at 7 1/2 pence (about 15 cents) a pound.

"When we have meat it is bacon, or mutton or sometimes beef at one shilling and four pence a pound. We get greens at a penny a penny (approximately three cents) a pound.

"Potatoes don't cost us much. We three pounds of tuppence (about four cents). We need about five loaves of bread a day. They are small loaves costing 4 1/2 pence (about nine cents) each. And our oleomargarine—running about three or four pounds—costs us six pence (about 12 cents) a pound."

Church Fetes Their Amusements

Clothing and shoes for himself and his family, however, from Mummery's big problem. He tries to meet it by paying some of his spending money into boot and clothing clubs. That costs him about 12 cents a week.

"When he has paid in a certain amount, he is entitled to boots or clothing equal to that amount."

"But we make ours last a long time, he says. 'I always can buy leather fairly cheap, and I repair the shoes of all the family. And my wife is mighty clever at patching up the clothes.'"

Mummery, unlike many British workmen, doesn't spend his spare time at the "pubs," public houses or saloons. He neither drinks nor smokes. And he doesn't go to the movies.

Mummery is religious. He is a regular churchgoer. And he and his brood look to the church festivals for all their amusement.

"We go to the concerts and the services at the Browning Settlement, which is near where we live. These entertainments don't cost anything, and they are pleasant."

"They often have lemonade and cake, and the cost is so small that anybody can afford it if he has a regular job."

That, in brief, is how a man is supporting himself, his wife and five children on \$13 a week.

In New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Down in Battery Park, near the Barge Office, is a monument to wireless operators who have perished at sea—the men who share the most sacred tradition of the sea, that of being the last to leave the ship, or to go down with it. The list begins with Jack Phillips, the operator who went down with the Titanic, the "unsinkable ship" that struck an iceberg in the Atlantic on her maiden voyage and sank in a few hours.

The ship struck the berg on the night of April 14, 1912. Phillips stuck to his post and attracted the attention of the Carpathia before the waves closed above the Titanic in one of the greatest sea tragedies ever recorded in history.

Wireless operators who lost their lives on the Atlantic, Pacific, on the Swedish coast, the Black Sea, the Caribbean, Puget Sound, and the Great Lakes are included in the list.

The last name on the list is that of Fred Salim, wireless operator on the steamship Connelgas, who was lost with his ship in the Black Sea on Dec. 27, 1923.

In front of the monument is a water fountain, an ironical reminder of the water that plunged them into heroism. But it also is a service to humanity, an aid-giving monument dedicated to these men who died calling for aid for others.

Three sides of the monument are already filled with names. On the fourth side is room for a few more inscriptions. There will be more names subscribed some day. For men who go down to the sea in ships are the bravest of the brave.

INCREASE EFFORTS TO PROVE M'COY INSANE

(By The Associated Press.)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 23.—Construction of a frame work of evidence to support the insanity defense of Kid McCoy, ex-pugilist charged with the murder of Mrs. Theresa Mors here August 12 was continued today by attorneys, alienists and friends of the alleged slayer.

Danish counsel made no secret of the plan to save McCoy from the gallows by proving him insane and admitted they were prepared to show that at least two other members of the former fighters family were confined in institutions for the treatment of mental disorders.

Arrangements were made to send additional alienists into the prisoner's cell in an effort to substantiate a report made by Dr. Cecil Reynolds that McCoy is a victim of incipient paresis, a diseased condition of the brain frequently manifested by violent outbursts such as the shooting orgy staged by McCoy in and near Mrs. Mors' antique shop the day after her death.

Friends also came forward with offers to testify that McCoy seemed ir-

rational to them months before the shooting. He was in a state of fond of boasting of his adventures with women, they said, and often referred to himself as "the world's greatest lover" or the "greatest lover in history."

The one time boxer, who was known in his day as among the most ruthless and trickiest fighters in the ring, collapsed in a near faint yesterday, when defense doctors subjected him to blood tests and wept as he talked to interviewers about his love for the woman, police say he killed.

He talked and went as employees of an undertaking establishment a mile or so away took the body of his alleged victim and piled it on a train for her home. There was no crowd to witness her departure; there were no flowers and the dead woman's former husband and heir to her estate was not to be seen.

Monday McCoy will appear in superior court to enter plea to the charge growing out of Mrs. Mors' death and to seven charges of robbery and attempt to murder, resulting from the antique shop shooting affray.

PROSPECTS FOR SCHOOL YEAR IN VA. IS BRIGHT

Sanger Predicts A Good Session In Enrollment And Attendance In State

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 23.—"Prospects for the 1924-25 school year in Virginia look bright," announces Dr. W. T. Sanger, secretary of the State Board of Education who predicts a good year in enrollment and attendance, and especially in the quality of the work.

"Schools in many parts of the state have already opened session," continued Dr. Sanger, "and the remainder will begin work during the month of September. Ample teachers have been secured to carry on the work and while the working of the Virginia compulsory school attendance law does not materially affect enrollment, it is expected to better the average of attendance. The law will be enforced as rigidly as possible."

Reading from a report of the Board of Education on comparative data of educational expansion and development in Virginia, Dr. Sanger showed that public schools had enrolled 562,993 pupils in 1923 out of a possible school population of 580,000. "The most heartening feature," he said, "is that the possible school population includes all children in the state from the ages of seven to twenty, many of whom have completed high school before the age of seven and are enrolled in colleges or taken positions upon graduation from the secondary schools. Thus the percentage of those enrolled who are actually qualified for public school instruction is very high, and leaves a small margin for the compulsory attendance law."

The growth of the school population has not been very great since 1910, he indicated from the report, it being 618,165 in that year as compared with 680,924 for 1923. However, the total enrollment shows a difference between 402,169 for 1910 and 562,993 for 1923, which reflects vast improvement, he said.

"This thirteen year comparison is then carried to the attendance percentage where the greatest increase percentage is shown. From an attendance of 353,384 in 1910, the combined workings of the compulsory attendance law and the desire of the people for more and higher education, has induced an attendance of 514,275 in 1923, which is more than a third increase during a period of thirteen years."

"Virginia continues to advance in educational position among her sister states," concluded the secretary.

The Parade Feature

The following information concerning the parade in honor of the American Legion is published for the information of all concerned.

Tuesday evening August 26th, at 7 o'clock. All units are requested to be in place at 6:45 so the parade can move promptly at 7.

LINE OF MARCH:
Main street from Bridge street to Fair Grounds.
ORDER OF MARCH:
1. Mounted police; form on Main street at Union.
2. Staunton Band and Post; form on Main street between Union and Market, head of band behind mounted police.
3. American Legion; form on Market street, head of column on Main street behind the Staunton Band and Post.
4. 40-8 band and 40-8 Post Legionnaires; form on Main street between Market and Craighead.
5. Danville Grays, Coast Artillery; form on Craighead, head of the column on Main.
6. Tank company; form on Main between Craighead and Bridge, toward Danville Grays.
7. 120th. Hospital company; form on Main between Craighead and Bridge, behind the Tank company.
8. 240th. Artillery Band; form on Bridge and Main; escort to Ladies Auxiliary.
9. Ladies Auxiliary; in autos; form on Bridge street.
10. Confederate Veterans; in autos; form on Bridge street.
11. Spanish American War Veterans; in autos; form on Bridge street.
12. Decorated autos; form on Craighead street going down to Bridge.

Distinguished visitors will view the parade from the steps of the Tuscawarra Club. Autos will be provided to take them to the Fair Grounds.

Parade will be in column of squads, but if found practicable military units will please pass reviewing stand in column of platoons.

Boy Scouts, carrying red flares, will be stationed along the line of march and flares will be lighted as the head of the parade approaches.

The Schoolfield Band will be excused from the parade on account of the concert they are going to give immediately after the parade.

To make the parade a complete success, the close co-operation of all units and organizations is earnestly requested.

F. H. Vass, adjutant; S. W. Minor, chairman parade committee.

Golf Fairway Given "O. K." As Landing Site

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graphed an affirmative report to his commanding officer.

The pilots left at eleven o'clock for Abingdon where Lieutenant Collins' mother lives. He will return tomorrow to Langley Field and will pass over Danville enroute. The present plan is to prevail on Col. Graham at Langley Field to allow Collins to stay over the convention and give exhibition flights and, if possible to send two more ships down here for the event to do some aerial stunts. By the time Lieutenant Collins arrives here Sunday it is hoped to have received affirmative telegrams and that he may remain for the convention. The Hampton Post is also "working" on the colonel.

Lieutenant Collins had a good trip here from Langley Field yesterday though he described the air as bumpy adding that low-lying clouds made the determination of direction by landmarks difficult. His mission to Danville, he explained, was not to land, but to find a place to land here during the convention. His trip was really a night of far greater pursuit.

As he explained it the Langley Field night-bombing squadron which flies in eighteen Martin bombers, huge twin-engine ships which their complement of men, machine guns and explosives carry a dead weight of 7,000 pounds in planning extensive maneuvers. One of the tests of endurance and efficiency will be a night flight by full moon from Langley Field to Mitchell Field, N. Y., in battle formation.

Before that is attempted however the commanding officer intends to send the squadron out on a number of week end practice flights. Cities named as the destination of these flights included Danville and Lieutenant Collins was assigned the task of flying here to make a report on landing facilities. The standard maps of airplane landings, rates Danville as "excellent" and this view had prevailed in government flying circles. Since the map was made the large field on Gardner's farm has been put under cultivation and instead of being a large smooth meadow, it is growing crops making landing impossible.

This was the situation which presented itself to Lieutenant Collins when he neared earth yesterday. The map was all wrong and he had to show quick judgment in finding another place. He negotiated a safe landing. Throughout yesterday afternoon he visited different places but nowhere could there be found within a radius of ten miles of Danville a field which would permit the safe landing of eighteen bombers which although slow of descent require a great deal of room. He was compelled, he said, therefore to make an adverse report on a landing field for the Martin planes and as a result Danville will have to be denied the extraordinarily interesting sight of eighteen of the country's largest airships coming here.

The landing place for a smaller number of biplane and plane does not have to be so large as for the

STRANGE SIGNALS NOT COMING FROM MARS IS OPINION OF PROF. LOW

(By The Associated Press.)
LONDON, Aug. 23.—Professor A. W. Low, who was among those present at Dulwich this morning at 1 o'clock when strange and unidentified signals were received on a twenty-four tube radio set, is not of the opinion that they came from Mars.

"I think it must have been a combination of atmospheric and heterodyning," he said, "that is, interference between various stations. I think it impossible that it could be a message from any outside planet."

Commenting on his presence at the test, he said he had not expected that messages would be received from Mars but that he would be ashamed of himself if he had ignored the very meritorious efforts that were being made to obtain communication. In these days of progress and scientific achievements, he added, nothing was beyond the range of possibility.

The sounds recorded by the special set employed were received on a wave length of 30,000 metres. They consisted of harsh dots, continuing off and on for three minutes in groups of four or five. Representatives of the Marconi company and of London universities were present.

Wicker Is Here And Stage Set For Convention

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whose presence has been requested here during the convention. A second telegram was sent this morning urging that he come and that a speech would not be asked of him if he should not feel prepared to give one. The point made was that the next Chief of Staff of the Army would be a great thing for the Virginia Legion and would help the convention greatly.

Reports received by the chairman of every convention committee appointed several months ago by the Danville Post included a detailed accounting of all the work done, showing at the same time a faithful discharge of all duties assigned.

The Post held a meeting last night at the Memorial Mansion when Commander Cousins called for a report, these showing that all of the arrangements had been made.

Eight Graham chairman of the housing committee, reported this morning that about four hundred delegates have applied for reservations. This however, is far short of the number expected which may run as high as eight hundred. Mr. Keeling will have his headquarters at the Danville Hotel throughout Sunday and each delegate arriving will be directed to him to secure his reservation card. In this way the housing situation will be greatly simplified. Preparation has been made to deal with all delegates who are unable to make reservations. The forty members of the Danville delegation each one of which has one-fourth of a vote, met last night and elected Major H. A. Wiseman, a former Post Commander, chairman of the delegation. Dr. Garrett W. Johnson, another past commander, being elected vice-chairman. It was decided that the unit rule should prevail during the convention so far as the Danville contingent is concerned.

Attention was called today to the sale of articles made by crippled soldiers of the war and a large number of useful articles will be on display and available at reasonable sums to the delegates.

Thomas W. Miller, alien property custodian has been called out of Washington and cannot be here. Mr. Cousins announced this afternoon, James A. Drain, of Washington,

chairman of the Fourth district Rehabilitation Committee which embraces Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland and New Jersey, will take his place in the programme next Tuesday. Mr. Drain was the last man eliminated in the election last year for the national presidency being defeated by J. R. Quinn. Mr. Drain had the support of the Virginia delegation.

An addition to the program will be Major Arnold who is to discuss before the Convention the Veterans' Bureau and its present method of operation.

Brigadier General S. D. Rockenbach who had been invited as a guest from Washington will be unable to come here on account of the preparations being made for Defense Day in Washington. Major Harry Webb Farington is expected to make his principal address on this subject during the legion meeting.

Missing Flier Last Sighted 275 Miles Out

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Barry today was searching for Lieutenant Locatelli, the missing Italian aviator, along the American fliers route east of Greenland.

There was no confirmation of a report that a third plane had been heard passing over Fredericksdal, Lieut. Leigh Wade, found the world flier whose plane was wrecked off the Faroe Islands, believed, however, that Locatelli probably had missed Fredericksdal, because of the low visibility and had entered some nearby fjord.

Describing conditions impeding the searchers, the dispatch tersely began, "The night fog." It concluded with a request, authorization by Canadian government or army air service for necessary expenditures.

The fog also was mentioned in the Richmond message, which was forwarded by the American naval attaché in London.

Search stopped by fog," it said. "When weather clears will send Barry (U. S. destroyer) to search south of Farwell (Cape Farewell) and then account fuel shortage, proceed Pitcairn. Assuming Barry, (U. S. oil tanker) coming. Radar cruiser is retained to search other planes in search until Locatelli located."

Halifax Rowe Will Be Nipped If It Spreads

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donation to be used in a fund to defray the expenses of making an investigation into the absorbing question as to why the "pool" organization is not functioning as certain members say they were told it would function. In some quarters the movement is accepted as being a deliberate effort to destroy the association. Those connected with it and who were questioned by The Bee this morning asserted that this is not the case but that an element of the organization is desirous of knowing how the money secured from the sale of tobacco is being expended, why the payments are being so long delayed and why the association has not proved a greater boon than it has to those who signed the five-years' contract.

Immediate developments are these: 1. The determination by the forces of cooperative marketing in Danville to fight by injunctive and development of the movement in Pittsylvania. This, it is said by one official can be done under the legislative act adopted a year ago designed to protect the Association also under the Association and the by laws of the Association.

2. The thorough dealing and possible exposing of a "plot" by S. G. Frisell, publicity agent of the Association located in Raleigh who is reported today to be preparing a telegram to be issued in still dates in the tobacco sections of Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina.

3. The probable forceful dealing with the so-called "plot" by Tucker C. Watkins, of South Boston, in a speech he is scheduled to deliver at Smithsburg at three o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Watkins was reached this morning by telephone but would make no comment on the situation in advance of his speech. The reporter was told, you will get tonight a statement from our headquarters in Raleigh dealing with the whole subject.

E. L. Walton, local director of "pool" activities had no extended comment to make this morning other than to say that the organization is by no means taken by surprise. He said that knowledge of the movement has been in the hands of "Co-Op" officials for several weeks past and that in the opinion of officials the formal launching of the movement found the organization as a whole well prepared to cope with it. Mr. Walton said that there was being done in Danville though it apparently has not reached the surface. He mentioned also the other pooling points in the Bright Belt as centres for the movement.

Following is given the full text of the contract or petition the circulation of which was started in Halifax county on Thursday. It was reported today that as many as three hundred signatures have been secured to it and that members who are no longer in accord with the policy of the Association are signing voluntarily and without solicitation.

Believing that the announced purposes of the Tobacco Growers Co-operative Association of which I am a member, have failed, and that the said association as operated does not work to my benefit, but to my injury, I do hereby contribute the sum of \$5.00 to a fund to be expended in the prosecution of proper inquiries and proceedings, legal and otherwise, to the end that appropriate relief may be obtained for myself and other subscribers to such fund.

The following are appointed a committee to administer said fund, namely: W. E. Hazeewood, W. S. Holt, Jr., and W. L. Seymour, and they are authorized to obtain contributions to said fund, to employ competent attorneys and accountants and such other persons as they think proper; to cause to be instituted such suits as the attorneys employed by them may advise, using my name as a party if deemed advisable, and to do any work and all things deemed by them necessary and proper to carry out the purpose above set forth. They may add additional members to the said committee, if it is found by them desirable so to do. The said committee shall fix the compensation of all persons employed by it and the compensation of the members of said committee for their services hereunder and in connection herewith shall also be paid from said fund, and shall be fixed by the following parties, to-wit: W. E. Hazeewood, W. S. Holt, Jr., and W. L. Seymour.

This is one of a number of similar subscription agreements all together constituting one agreement between the several subscribing parties. It is expressly understood that I, the undersigned, do not intend to set forth, and that the said committee is not authorized to incur any debt for which I shall be liable.

All money collected for such fund shall be forthwith turned over to W. W. Shapard, Assistant Cashier, First National Bank, South Boston, Virginia, treasurer of the fund, and by him deposited in the Merchants National Bank of Richmond, Virginia. All disbursements shall be made by the treasurer upon the order of the said committee.

Name.....
Address.....
Dated..... 1924.

PLAN WIDESPREAD SEARCH
(By The Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Comprehensive plans to search on land and sea for the missing Italian aviator, Lieut. Locatelli, who started from Iceland with the world flier, Frederickksdal, and who was last sighted 275 miles out, were outlined in messages received by the Navy department early today from the cruisers Milwaukee and Richmond.

The message from the Milwaukee, dated today, was relayed by way of Louisville, N. S., said natives familiar with the coast of Greenland, between Fredericksdal and Fredericksdal, "will conduct search, using motor boats, small boats and kayaks, and search parties carrying emergency equipment and medical supplies will be employed."

A pontoon on one of the American planes, it was reported, was broken in landing at Fredericksdal.

Confirmation of the safety of Lieutenants Smith and Nelson, the American fliers, was received last night of locally after a wait of more than 24 hours. Details were promised in the brief message, but none began to come in until nearly 7 a. m. today, despite the efforts of communications officers who spent another day combing the air for news. The first report said that Lieut. Locatelli when last heard of was flying 40 minutes ahead of the Americans.

ABOARD U. S. S. RICHMOND, Aug. 22.—(By The A. P. Delayed.)
While the naval squadron conveying the American round-the-world flier, Frederickksdal, was enroute to Cape Farewell this afternoon for the missing Italian aviator, Locatelli, and his companions, two messages were received by Rear Admiral Magruder which indicated the possibility that the Italians were safe in some isolated Greenland fjord.

One message, from the steamer Islands Falk, under date of Thursday night said: "Think heard airplane northward at 7:45 p. m. Greenwich meridian time, but not sure."

The other message, from Lieut. Locatelli, commanding officer of the American flying expedition, read: "Reports just received from natives say they heard an airplane thirty minutes after Nelson (Lieut. Eric Nelson) one of the American fliers, landed. Locatelli may be here, so safe."

Inasmuch as Lieut. Nelson landed at Fredericksdal from Iceland at 7:45 p. m. Thursday, it is believed the reports of a plane being heard refer to the same one.

A wireless dispatch from the U. S. S. Lawrence last night, which also outlined the above message from Lieut. Smith, said a party of Eskimos was being organized to search for the missing Italian aviator between Cape Farewell, on the southern point of Greenland, and Ivigtut, on the southwestern coast of Greenland, North of where Lieut. Smith and Lieut. Nelson made their landing from Iceland. The Danish steamship Islands Falk is aiding in the search.

TO HOP-OFF SUNDAY
(By The Associated Press.)
ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Aug. 22.—The manager of the Marconi Company's station here this morning received a message from the U. S. S. destroyer Lawrence off Indian Harbor, Labrador, declaring that the American round fliers were expected at Indian Harbor Sunday.

The message, however, contained no reference to Lieut. Locatelli, missing Italian aviator.

The manager of the station was asked to keep all wireless stations under his authority open for the transmission of messages.

SEARCHING PARTY OUT
(By The Associated Press.)
ON BOARD THE U. S. S. LAWRENCE, Aug. 22.—Lieut. Smith from Fredericksdal reports that natives heard an airplane humming above them after the last of the American army planes had landed in Greenland waters Thursday evening.

A party of Eskimos is being organized to search for Lieut. Locatelli, the missing Italian aviator, between Cape Farewell, on the southern point of Greenland, and Ivigtut, on the southwestern coast of Greenland, North of where Lieut. Smith and Lieut. Nelson made their landing from Iceland. The Danish steamship Islands Falk is aiding in the search.

Witness: W. W. Shapard, named as recipient of funds was reached at South Boston this morning. He said he was not in a position to divulge the amount of money he had received. Asked with what measure of success the request for signatures had been met he said they were not being received very rapidly. He added that the movement was received with "a mixture of opinion." He referred the question to Mr. Seymour who is a partner of the Seymour Land Company at South Boston. W. S. Hall, Jr., also mentioned in the automobile Business at South Boston.

Mr. Seymour said that the contracts were being well signed and that many farmers were coming forward. He could not give the number however, adding that a check on the movement would be made tonight. He was careful to point out that the movement was not of South Boston origin. Asked how the men mentioned in the contract came to be interested, he said that they had been approached by about 25 farmers. Mr. Seymour said he denied specifically that the effort is one calculated to destroy the association but to bring about an investigation of expenditures by the association and the answer to delay in payments. The committee which is to handle the funds, Mr. Seymour said, is to be appointed tonight.

The impression gained in a talk which a reporter had with Mr. Walton today was that the association was not perturbed by the movement and believed that it lacked the backing of the necessary element to make the movement actually formidable.

The development however, was one which caused great interest in the tobacco circles. It was the wide conflict of opinion however. Foes of the organization referred to it as the "long expected revolt." Supporters of the "pool" who believe that it has benefited the farmers as a whole referred to it as the work of a few disgruntled men and that the "pool" idea is too deep rooted to be upset by a movement of such a character.

Enquiry failed to reveal any movement in this city along the line of that which has developed in Halifax. The local officials of the organization have been told in a letter received from South Boston that it is being fostered here and at Jackstone, Petersburg, and Lynchburg. There is some doubt as to Danville having any part in such a scheme since the community has adopted a policy of fair dealing to the promoters of both forms of tobacco marketing.

It was pointed out this morning that insofar as the expenses of the "Pool" are concerned, an audit of the books is made in minute detail and that such audits are readily submitted to all bona fide members.

GEORGIAN SENTENCED ON ASSAULT CHARGE
(By The Associated Press.)
SOPOTON, Ga., Aug. 22.—Crosby Williams, former alderman and prominent merchant here, was found guilty by a jury here tonight on a charge of assault in connection with the shooting of H. M. Flanders, editor of a local newspaper, and was sentenced to one year in the Georgia state prison farm.

Witnesses testified at the trial that Williams assaulted Flanders on a main street here May 27, cursed him for the authorship of certain editorials which had appeared in Flanders' paper, and then shot him down when the editor, resisting the epithets, challenged him to fight combat.

It was asserted that Williams was opposed to the editor's uncompromising attitude against alleged laxity in prohibition law enforcement.

Flanders received only a slight flesh wound.

A time's worth of ice isn't always what it is cracked up to be.

TRINKLE SPEAKS AT ABINGDON
(By The Associated Press.)
BRISTOL, Va., Tenn., Aug. 22.—Governor E. Lee Trinkle, of Virginia, delivered an address before a crowd of approximately 3,500 persons at the Washington county fair at Abingdon this afternoon.

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SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

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The Week At Wesley House.
The community playground at Wesley House, under the supervision of Miss Virginia Hicks, has been a source of daily pleasure to the children of the community all summer, particularly since it has undergone repairs and had many improvements added.

Every afternoon, children ranging in number from one hundred and fifty to two hundred, meet there to enjoy supervised play.

There are slides, swings, see-saws, tennis court, ocean waves, and houses and other popular amusements.

Miss Widmeyer, of Wyoming, Ohio, who has been appointed director of kindergarten, is spending the summer abroad and will arrive here some time in September.

Miss Katherine Arnold, head resident, is visiting at her home in Winchester, Ky., and will arrive here some time next month.

Miss Arnold will be replaced by Miss Sue Cole, who has been transferred to a similar position in Texas. Miss Arnold has been engaged in settlement work in Tampa, Fla., for several years.

Deaconess Emily Olstead, of Nashville, Tenn., arrived last night and will spend the coming week at Wesley House.

Reception To Delegates.
The Danville Chapter and the Anne Eliza Johns Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will be joint hostesses at a reception which will be given in honor of the women delegates attending the American Legion Convention at four o'clock Tuesday afternoon, at Confederate Memorial Mansion.

All members of the local chapter of the American Legion Auxiliary and all members of the U. D. C. Chapters are expected to be present to meet the visiting delegates.

The American Legion Band, Staunton Post, will furnish music throughout the afternoon.

Reception To Women of Auxiliaries.
On Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock members of the Wednesday Club of Danville will tender a reception to the women of Danville Post American Legion Auxiliary and the women delegates attending the American Legion Convention.

The reception will be held at Confederate Memorial Mansion. All members of the Wednesday Club and all members of the local chapter of the American Legion Auxiliary are expected to be present.

Engagement Announced.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Hines, of Tracy City, Tenn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sara, to William M. Travis, of Chattanooga, Tenn. The wedding will take place in the early fall.

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Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Thomas, of Milton, N. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lurline, to William Lee Turner, of Danville, Va. The wedding will take place in the early fall.

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The Tangle

An Intimate Story of Innermost
Emotion Revealed in
Private LettersLETTER FROM LESLIE PRES-
COTT TO RUTH BURKE.
CONTINUED

I cannot tell you, dear Ruth, how terribly upset I was when mother read me that telegram. Up to that time, although I was not conscious of it, I must have had hope that Jack would come.

Isn't it queer, dear, that men think women may forgive everything, while they will not forgive anything? I threw myself face down upon the bed, and for the first time since I had arrived home I let myself go. It seemed to me that my life was entirely ruined—and my own sister had done this.

So absorbed was I in my misery and grief that I did not hear my mother come in until she put her hand upon my shoulder.

"Leslie," she said, "I am writing John this afternoon. I am going to tell him that Alice wrote that letter. I am going to tell him what I know about the pearls. Then, my child, if he does not come and ask your pardon, he is not worthy of you, and I counsel you to forget him forever."

I had never seen mother look as stern as she did at that moment. "I wish," she said, "that this had not come at just this time. I am afraid if your father gets the slightest inkling of it it will retard his convalescence."

Now about yourself, dear girl. I wish indeed that I could be with you and see your happiness. Just at present I would not wish my greatest enemy, however, to marry any man but I expect I shall feel differently some time in the future, for I have a feeling that you are going to be very happy.

"Of course, my dear, you know that I could not accept the little shop from Walter. One-third of it is yours, and if as Walter says, I helped you to find that you were able to cope with the world and make your own living you certainly have helped me to place an anchor to the windward. If Jack still holds to his unreason, I shall go back and try to run the little shop myself."

There have been two or three reporters here today. Neither my mother nor myself would be interviewed. While we like to read about other people's personal affairs, I find it is always exceedingly annoying to have one's own private joys and sorrows given to a curious and caving world.

I may see you earlier than you expect, if you are returning directly to Albany for a few days. If Jack still persists in not coming or sending me little Jack, I shall go back and get my baby. I don't think he has realized yet that he has no claim upon the child whatever. I would not want my husband to live with

BOY SLAYER?



This 11-year-old youngster, Roy Shields, living near Shook's Gap, Knox county, Tenn., is held for murder. He and his father, T. S. Shields, have been indicted jointly for the shooting of Mrs. Susan Hicks, 60, a neighbor. It occurred during an argument over the boundary line between the two homesteads.

me because of a child, for I do not think that helps either the wife or the child. I am sure, however, that Jack still has that conventional idea that as long as the wife and husband live in the same house the family is still intact.

This is an unconscionably long letter, dear, but I had much to say to you. My heart was overflowing, and you are the only one to whom I could tell the things that were in it. Don't worry about me too much. Few persons are given more either of joy or sorrow than they can bear. Do write me all about yourself.

With all my love and good wishes,
LESLIE
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TOMORROW: Letter from John Alden Prescott to Sydney Carton.

RECORD NUMBER OF FAIRS
IN STATE THIS YEAR

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 22.—A record number of fairs will be held in Virginia this autumn, according to a statement issued at the office of George W. Kolner, state commissioner of agriculture and immigration. The fair season began on August 6 at Berryville and will extend well into October. Forty-seven will probably be the total number, data in Commissioner Kolner's office shows. He also called attention to the fact that this is the first season under the anti-wheel-of-fortune law, and predicted better attendance would follow rigid enforcement of the statute.

Who remembers when the extravagant young dude of the town was the one who put rubber tires on his buggy.

OMBRE COLORS
WILL DOMINATE
IN FALL STYLESActions Must Speak Louder
Than Clothes With Girls
And Women

By ALLEN LAMONT

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NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Actions speak louder than clothes. At least they can be counted on to do so in the case of the younger set this fall. Debutantes, sub-debts and the pack of bold-faced flappers will have to draw attention to themselves by bizarre actions rather than dress, for the coverings which will protect them from the winter blasts and the indecent exposures ordinances will be staid and somber.

Simplicity is the dominant note in outer garments now being assembled by the college girls and younger members of society, no matter how much sophistication they may covet. Dresses are as straight and narrow as the path so few seem able to tread. The colors chosen are more staid than at any time this year. And eccentricities of design are remarkable for the season.

Colors are not only of a more somber tone but they are fewer in number. This is not a mere temporary trend. It can be counted on to continue. Manufacturers designers and weavers are determined to standardize the multiplicity of tints which run the scale in every basic color.

The frocks now being purchased for the wardrobe of the younger girls are short and they are so narrow that they appear even shorter than they are. The Vogue fur suits is being emphasized and has been encouraged by the beautiful soft fabric recently off the looms of England, Scotland and America. These cloths which contain in their invisible plaids all the hazy beauty of an autumn morning are converted into coats and skirts of unusual length of line perfectly plain in the back and usually without a belt.

The double breasted cut is finding many advocates. Such progress has been made in water proofing, used in hardening the fabric that many of the autumn suits will offer protection against rain no matter what downpours flood the football stadiums near by.

Many of these suits are collared in fur, the darker brown pelts being used almost exclusively but this does not mean the discarding of the scarf. In fact, scarfs that were in it don't worry about me too much. Few persons are given more either of joy or sorrow than they can bear. Do write me all about yourself.

At the moment, the horse provides the dominant note in style and no one expects to see bolts and latches at the coming international polo matches on legs which never bestrode a horse's back or bumped a saddle.

Preparing For
Inspection Of
Va. Apple Crop

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 23.—Plans are being completed rapidly for the inspection of the Virginia apple crop under the auspices of the market division of the state department of agriculture, but only about one fifth of the production will bear the inspector's stamp, declared F. Earle Parsons, chief of the bureau of standardization and inspection here today.

"The inspection, which is wholly voluntary and which is supported solely by the co-operative efforts of small organized rings of growers will begin with the first week of September, and will continue until the season closes," stated Mr. Parsons who has active charge of the arrangements for the work.

"No funds are provided by the state for the salary of apple inspectors," he said, "and it has been necessary for those growers who wished their crops to bear the state inspector's stamp to raise the funds and allow the market bureau to employ and assign the inspectors to the various communities. Many of the growers are slow in coming to realize the marketing value of standardizing and grading, feeling the uniformity and quality of their fruit."

Mr. Parsons stated that the crop was, like all other crops over the state in general, from ten days to two weeks later than usual in most sections, he added the apple crop will be larger than in some years past and of better quality. Prices for the few lots already sold have been fairly good, he asserted.

TIRED OF TRAVELING
SHE SEEKS DIVORCE

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Mrs. Alice A. Moseley, wife of Brig. Gen. George Van Horn Moseley, grew tired of being shifted around from one place to another by Uncle Sam, as her husband's services were required and friends say this is the real reason for her suit for divorce, filed at Waukegan, Ill.

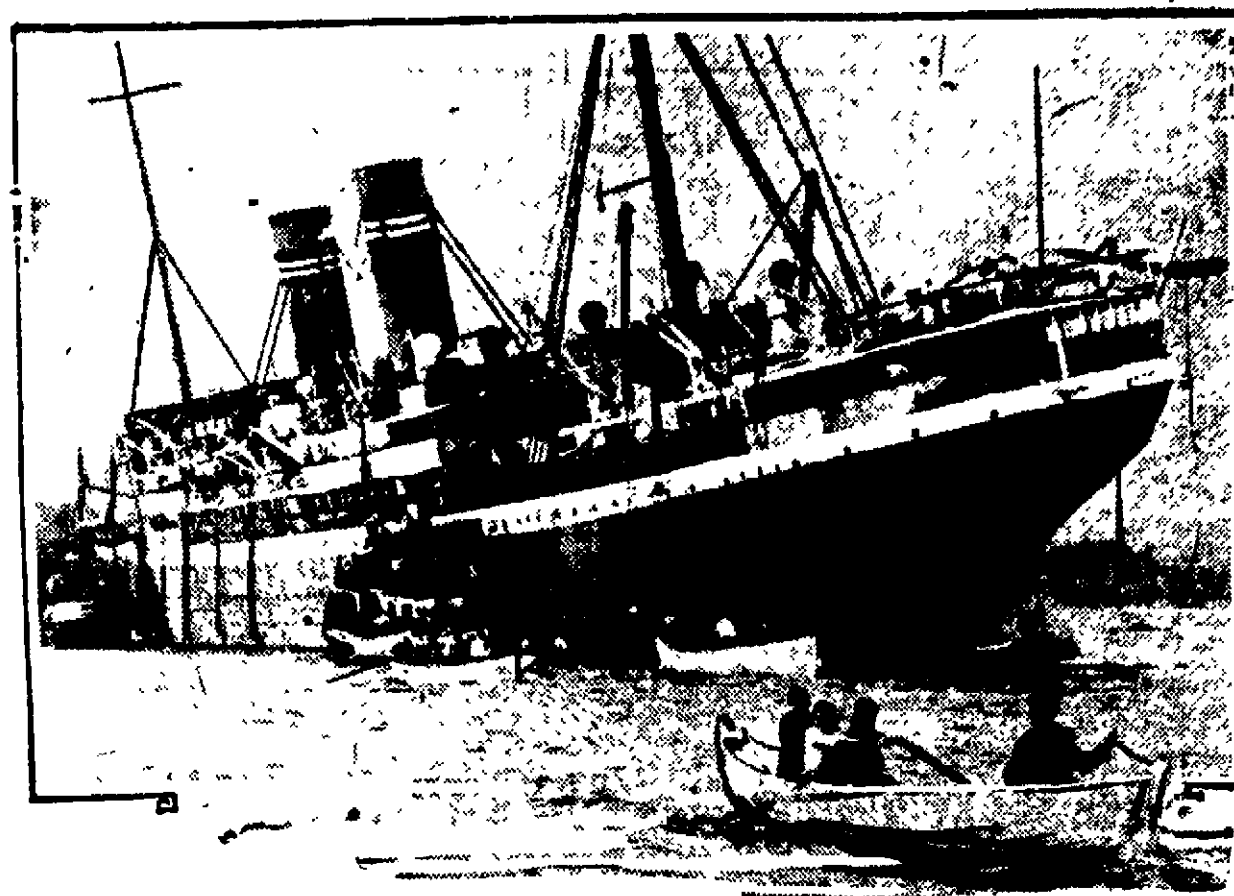
Gen. Moseley is now commander at Fort Sheridan, where he assumed command March 22, 1922. Mrs. Moseley did not accompany him. The suit charges that Gen. Moseley deserted his wife on May 26, 1922, but friends say the break came before that. Mrs. Moseley has not graced the General's quarters with her presence since he took charge at Fort Sheridan.

"Mrs. Moseley did not want to go to the 'sticks,' as she considered the assignment to Fort Sheridan," said a close friend of the family today.

"She wanted the General to resign because his army duties kept him traveling a great deal. When he was assigned to Fort Sheridan she remained in Washington. The records show that army duties have kept Gen. Moseley on the jump since he graduated from West Point in 1899, the Philippines, army maneuvers in France and Germany, on the Mexican border, overseas with the U. S. F. then to the town of the United States, next a command in Texas and later to Fort Sheridan."

The height of a small boy's ambition is usually about six feet.

Lifeboats Leaving Fire-Threatened Ship



Passengers and crew members being taken ashore from the S. S. Bergensfjord, Norwegian-American liner which was threatened with destruction by fire near Christians, Norway. The fire, confined to the bowels of the ship, caused a damage of about \$250,000.

RUM RUNNING IS
PROFITABLE TO
THOSE ENGAGEDRum Is Cream Of All Port-
able Alcohols, From
Standpoint Of Profits

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SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 23.—The title, "rum king," has been aptly applied to the lines of ships that lay off the Canadian and the American coasts, purveying to the thirst of North America. The writer has just returned from a visit to the schooner Hazel, off the Cape Breton coast, and from her skipper, Captain Sylvester Dunphy, learned that rum is the cream of all portable alcohols, from the standpoint of profits.

Whereas the purveyors of whiskey, champagnes and wines to the smuggling trade have to be content with a profit of between 100 and 200 per cent, on a cargo of rum, Captain Dunphy, on the last of the cargo of rum, for which he paid 7,000 and which he expected to sell for \$50,000—a clear profit of better than six hundred per cent.

Captain Dunphy is known as the "rum king" of Cape Breton. It is certain that he has the "bulk of the rum trade in his hands." And he modestly admits that he expects to take away a million dollars in the next two years.

Not even Columbus when he put out his rickety shells, took any greater chances than Captain Dunphy does in his business. One observed that St. Pierre Miquelon, which the most of the rum sellers were handling had a poor flavor. Nova Scotians like their rum.

So Captain Dunphy refused to get them a cargo of the real stuff. Accordingly he put out April 15—the first vessel to clear this spring—for Demerara, British Guiana, the home of rum that is rum. Fifteen miles out, his "paper-bag" craft was caught in the net of a real fisher, and went into drydock. When the hole had been patched up, he set out again and finally made Demerara, 2,600 miles away.

There he filled his old tub up with rum at 45c a gallon. The market rum of Demerara was selling at 40c and the natives thought him crazy to pay more. But he insisted on making the plantations where it was made and selecting the cream of the product. The rum, Captain Dunphy now is selling to the speedboat boys at \$5 a gallon, and they are only too glad to pay it, for they know a ready market is awaiting it ashore.

Captain Dunphy received the writer down in his counting house where he was shuffling piles of money, books, orders, making deals and dickers, shouting out instructions to his packers, and offering drinks to his clients. He found time, however, to chat with the correspondent and to offer him hospitality, and he was frankness itself. It was all a part of his policy to advertise widely. For one competition has become so keen that there is much more to liquor selling than just dropping anchor on rum row.

You have got to advertise, and you've got to employ go-getter salesmen from growing on your hull while you wait for customers.

Captain Dunphy said the cargo he now was selling was his third of the season. There still would be time, he thought, to ship off to St. Pierre for another cargo of whiskey, which could be had for \$10 a case and could be turned over on the row for \$21 to \$25.

While the writer was on Captain Dunphy's craft, a matter of two hours, the skipper took in a little over \$6,000 from the customers who docked aboard from small craft of every description. One youth, apparently not more than 15 years of age, counted out \$2,300 for his cargo.

Compare that with the record of the municipal tender in North Sydney, if you want to get some idea of the magnitude of the off-shore business. The \$6,000 that Captain Dunphy collected in two hours was just \$500 less than the municipal tender took in in six months. The municipal tender paid the Nova Scotia government \$3,200 for the liquor he sold for \$5,200. Captain Dunphy gets enough rum for \$500 to yield him \$6,000.

Yes, business is pretty fair out on the row.

He—What time should I come?
Voice on the Line—Come after supper.
He—That's what I was coming after.



THE HEIGHT OF A SMALL BOY'S AMBITION IS USUALLY ABOUT SIX FEET.

FASHION NOTES

Vests are a feature of the new coats, and they are buttoned closely about the throat while the coat collar itself is allowed to fold very casually.

BREAD FRINGE

Narrow bread fringe, not more than an inch in width, follows the scallops and uneven hemline on the new dinner gowns and is often repeated many times in the skirt.

CRUSH BELTS

The very wide crush belts of soft suedes are very fashionable now, and are practically the only alternative to the beltless mode. These belts to be chic must be worn very low over the hips.

Davis Believes He
Has Disposed Of
Ku Klux Klan Issue

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—So far as his own campaign is concerned, John Davis believes he has disposed of the subject Ku Klux Klan. In condemning in his Sea Girt speech yesterday this other organization that sets up a standard of racial or religious prejudice in America and in calling upon President Coolidge to join him in removing the topic from the field of political debate, the Democratic presidential candidate sought to clarify the atmosphere and leave free the way for wholehearted attention to those issues upon which he believes the contest is to be decided in November.

Mr. Davis advisers say the decision to go beyond the action of the convention that nominated him was his own. Counsel had been decided on what came to be a recurring subject of discussion.

Some of his closest friends had urged that he stand upon his declaration in his acceptance speech at Clarkburg against all forms of bigotry, prejudice and intolerance, by whatever name known, that there were equally as insistent that as clear as was his language then, the score was clear and that it would be made plainer still as the campaign progressed.

In deciding to dispose of the question, once and for all, as he told the democrats of New Jersey he emphasized that he did not regard the subject one having a proper place in this or any other campaign and must not be permitted to divert attention from those issues the people must settle in the forthcoming election.

Mr. Davis declared that some of these decisions had become clear and that it would be made plainer still as the campaign progressed.

RIGA'S FAIR EXHIBITS GOLD

(By The Associated Press)

RIGA, Aug. 22.—Twenty-five countries, including Soviet Russia, were represented at the fourth Latvian International Agricultural and Industrial Fair held in Riga this summer. The Soviet display consisted chiefly of textiles, wool work and specimens of minerals and other articles from Russia's natural resources. These included placer gold from Siberia.

CABARET SHIP DREAM

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The 17,000-ton floating cabaret ship which was reported to be anchored beyond the 12-mile limit, off New York, and to have been the scene of hilarious drinking parties was admitted today to be a myth.

The New York Herald-Tribune, will say tomorrow that the discovery was a reporter's dream and that the reporter had been dismissed.

HELPFUL HINTS

CLEAN OUT CLOSETS
Go through your clothes closets, shelves and racks frequently and weed out the contents. Do not keep storing articles that have no value and which add to your work.

CUT LARGE PIECES
Cook vegetables whole when practical, otherwise cut them into as large pieces as is convenient.

FRYING FISH
Before putting fish into the frying pan put a small breadcrumb into the grease. When it becomes a golden brown you will know the grease is at just the right temperature for the fish. Leave the crust in the pan and it will prevent the fat from spluttering.

OLD BROOM
When a broom has worn unevenly, soak it in hot soda, rinse and dry in the open air. Then cut the bristles evenly and you will find that you can still get much more service from it.

GOOD SHELF COVERING
White oilcloth makes very good covering for kitchen shelves and it can be cleaned very easily.

FRESH VEGETABLES
Wash all fresh vegetables no matter how clean they may look.

CLEANING FURNITURE
Clean gilt furniture of picture frames with a paste made of whiting and alcohol.

RESULTS OF SWIMMING MEET.
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 22.—The Atlanta Athletic Club was victorious today in the first day contests of the southeastern A. A. U. swimming meet amassing a total of 27 points in the junior events and the 440-yard senior relay. Memphis was second with a total of 22 points.

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CUYLER, OUTFIELD STAR FOR PIRATES BATTling ROGERS FOR BAT HONORS

(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—From a lowly bench warmer awaiting a chance to slip into the game as a substitute, Cuyler today finds himself battling the famed Rogers Hornsby, second base star of the Cardinals, for the batting championship of the league.

Cuyler today finds himself battling the famed Rogers Hornsby, second base star of the Cardinals, for the batting championship of the league. He bagged eleven hits in his last five games, giving him an average of .333 and is trailing 27 points behind Hornsby, who is topping the list .410.

The rise of Cuyler, a rookie from the Southern association, reads like a page from baseball fiction. His chance came by accident when Max Carey, the Pittsburgh veteran, was injured. When Carey returned to the pennant race, Cuyler, under the coaching of Carey, developed into one of the greatest base stealers in the league. Carey is leading with 30 with Cuyler and Heathcote of Chicago tied for second place with 23 each.

Jack Fournier of the Dodgers, leading home run hitter of the league, is asking in the total of 25 while "Risch" of the Giants is setting the pace in scoring, having crossed the plate 90 times, six within the last week.

Other leading batters. Fournier, Brooklyn .344; Young, New York, .344; Bressler, Cincinnati .344; Roush, Cincinnati .343; Blades, St. Louis, .325; Bottomley, St. Louis .323; High, Brooklyn .321; Kelly, New York, .318; Grigsby, Chicago, .318.

Veterans of the American League are gradually crowding their way toward the top. Following the example of Eddie Collins, Ty Cobb, pilot of the Tigers; Tris Speaker, leader of the Indians and Harry Heilmann, Detroit slugger, have worked themselves up among the leading ten.

Babe Ruth, who continued to open the regulars, dropped from his .400 mark of a week ago to .396. However, he still has a comfortable lead over Bib Falk of the White Sox who is in second place with .360. George Sisler fell out of the .300 class and is way down in the list with an average of .298.

Ruth failed to increase his record of 35 homers but managed to get an average of one hit a game in his last four contests, giving him 158 hits for a total of 314 bases. Besides his homers, his hits include 28 doubles and 11 triples. By scoring twice he has his run getting record to 116. Cobb had made the greatest number of hits in the league, turning in 163 blows.

Eddie Collins failed to add to his string of 33 stolen bases, but still holds a safe lead over his rivals.

Other leading batters. Jamieson, Cleveland .348; Cobb, Detroit .345; E. Collins, Chicago .344; Sheely, Chicago .342; Boone, Boston .342; Speaker, Cleveland .340; Heilmann, Detroit, .334; Jacobson, St. Louis, .332; Goslin, Washington .330; Archdeacon, Chicago .330.

YANKS GROWING NERVOUS AS TRAILERS PRESS THEM

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Miller Huggins' Yankees, leading their league by one game today, the feeling of a champion sorely pressed.

Detroit took the first round of their three round go with the champions after twelve slam-bang innings and though the Yankees scored the greatest number of hits the Tigers handed harder when it counted most and are now only two and one half games behind the leaders and a game and a half to the rear of the Senators who took the day off and remained in second place.

St. Louis, in fourth place got a pasting from the down-trodden Athletics who scored thirteen markers on the Browns' six making it "two out of three in the series."

Leading the second division by one point today the Indians went for the count when the Red Sox beat them out in a hard fought game, and Coveleskie passed Pinchhitter Pieinich and Flagstead Wambegans took a toe noid and doubled to center and two with no game scheduled rested.

The National League fracas developed for new angles the Giants, doing their "daily dozen," trimming the Cardinals for the third time in as many days. Art Nehf pitched a breakish game allowing three hits and three runs in the first inning and three hits and one run in the ninth frame, the Cardinals going hitless between times. McGraw's warriors still the Pirates in second place by five and one half games.

The Pittsburgh Pirates which lacked the Braves yesterday, lead the Dodgers in third place by two and one half games, the Brooklyn team going down to defeat at the hands of the Cubs who took sweet revenge on the Dodgers in the second game of the series. The battle for third place is close—the Windy City club being only one home behind Uncle Robbie's boys.

Game Protested By Petersburg

(By The Associated Press)
RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 23.—Petersburg has officially protested the game played with Richmond in this city August 5, charging that Richmond had 15 men in uniform in violation of the Virginia league limit it was learned today.

Richmond won the game 7 to 4. W. L. Cherry, business manager of the local club, has advised President Moore that the Colts had only fourteen men in uniform, including Manager Onslow.

IMPERSONATOR HELD

ROANOKE, Va., Aug. 22.—Federal prohibition officers operating out of Roanoke have arrested O. C. Kennett, of Glade Hill, Va., on a charge of impersonating federal officers. Kennett is alleged to have been holding up automobiles and searching them for liquor, representing himself to be a federal agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Waddill left yesterday evening for Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs.

For the Game's Sake

By LAWRENCE PERRY

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NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Not content with winning the Poughkeepsie regatta and sending forth a tennis star, Wallace Scott, to conquer the intercollegiate lawn tennis world, athletic authorities of the University of Washington are looking forward to the coming football season.

They are hoping at Seattle to be the first to break California's winning streak. The Huskies last won from the Bears in 1909 by a 7 to 0 score. Incidentally this was the last defeat registered against the Berkeley football system.

In the statement the Washington "hopes to be the first to break California's winning streak," is more than appears on the surface. To be explicit, Washington meets California on November 1 and Stanford plays the Berkeley eleven on November 22. Out in Seattle they expect to see Stanford guided and inspired by Glenn Warner, defeat the Blue and Gold. But what is more important they expect the Huskies to beat Stanford to the honor.

Washington lost very few men last year from the team which California was extended to "at 9 to 0 at Berkeley and which tied the Navy 14 to 14 at Pasadena on New York's day."

In fact so far as regulars are concerned, practically the same team will make the field next month which played against the "Middies" and the Bears. Enoch W. Bagshaw, the coach, is a graduate of Washington and in the two years he has been coaching at his alma mater, has won sixteen games, lost two and tied two.

OFFICIALS NOT CONCERNED

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Lack of official confirmation of the safety of the American round the world fliers in Greenland after their 325 miles hop from Iceland gave little concern today to army and navy officials. Communications officers of both services watched all night for a direct message from the aviators but none was received.

Accepting as accurate the press dispatches from Halifax last night telling of receipt of a radio report of the fliers' arrival in Greenland, officials

Promises To Annex League Flag

By BILLY EVANS

"Dutch" Leonard, famous southpaw of other days, is back in the American League after an absence of three years.

In 1921, because of a salary difference, Leonard did not report to the Detroit club. He has been out of organized baseball ever since. Only recently he was reinstated by Judge Landis.

The acquisition of so great a pitcher as Leonard at this most important stage of the race may add just enough strength to the Detroit Tigers to spell pennant.

While Leonard lost his first start in the role of relief pitcher to the Athletics, and was beaten in his next trip to the mound, he showed me enough stuff in that game to warrant the belief that he will greatly help Cobb's team.

Unlike most players, after an absence of several years, Leonard's is lighter than at any time during his major league career. He is from 15 to 20 pounds lighter than when he retired from organized baseball.

Reports in Great Shape. Instead of spending his enforced layoff in idleness, Leonard has been taking the very best of care of himself, incidentally doing a little pitching for semi-pro clubs in California.

Umpiring Leonard's first game after joining the Tigers, I was in a position to carefully study his stuff and make a comparison with the Leonard of old.

His speed fast ball, seemed just about the same. Always the possessor of a good curve, his hook looked better than ever. It broke more sharply, and had the Athletics batters, who had never hit his offerings before, looking it over in wonderment.

Looks Like Youngster. Leonard looks the part of a youngster with great promise, rather than a veteran pitcher almost forgotten by some of the fans.

Not until he takes his hat off does one get the impression of does one get the impression of age for he is quite bald. Always at his best in the pinch, an experienced pitcher like Leonard should be of great aid to the Tigers in a close race like that being waged in the American League this year.

Much of the good pitching done by the Detroit staff this season has been turned in by the rookie pitchers. It is possible they may falter in the stretch. The addition of a star veteran like Leonard may prove to be just the type pitcher to stabilize the youngsters.

Unquestionably Cobb made a wise move in getting the veteran to essay a comeback. He is certain to help pointed out that almost all direct communication from them since they approached the arctic circle had been considerably delayed.

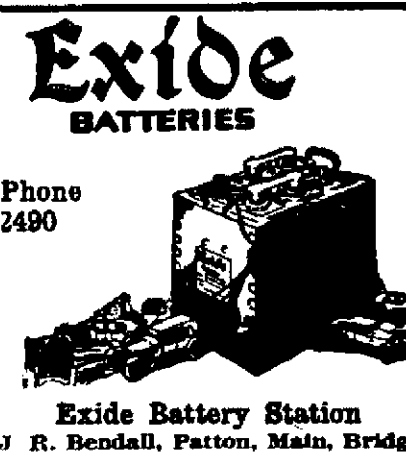
Female admirer—My goodness, if those are running trunks I certainly would hate to see the young men in suit cases.



"DUTCH" LEONARD

Detroit. "I am not doing a comeback for I never was through as a pitcher. I simply quit. I hope to win at least five games for the Tigers before the close of the season. Those five games may help considerably."

That is the way Leonard comments on his return to the majors.



Railway Directors To Take Action

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The first action by the Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio railway to meet terms imposed by the Interstate Commerce Commission in connection with its lease to the Atlantic Coast Line and the Louisville and Nashville, may be taken at the regular meeting of directors September 11. Before actual

execution of the lease stockholders probably will be asked formally to ratify the transaction and to approve a reduction in capitalization.

YOUTH BURNED TO DEATH

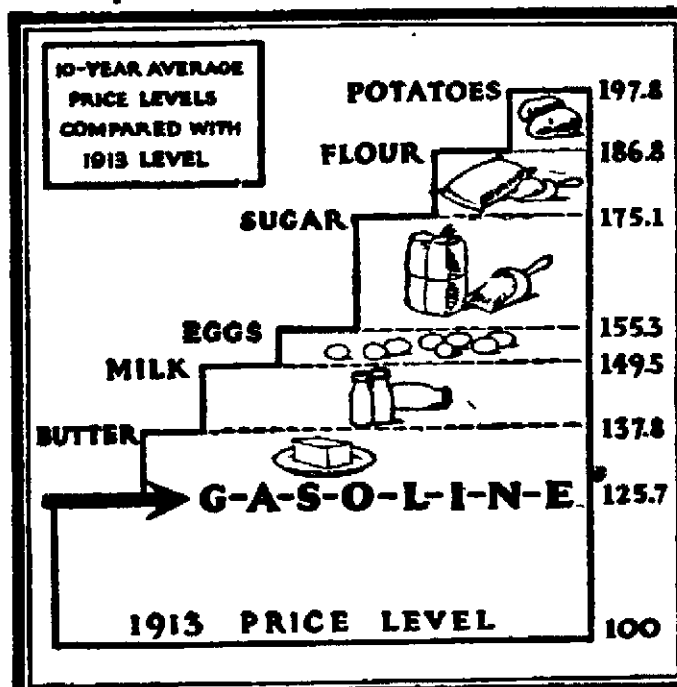
(By The Associated Press)
NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 22.—William Bradshaw, 17, was burned to death when the automobile in which he and six companions were riding was ignited when it was struck in the rear by another car here today.

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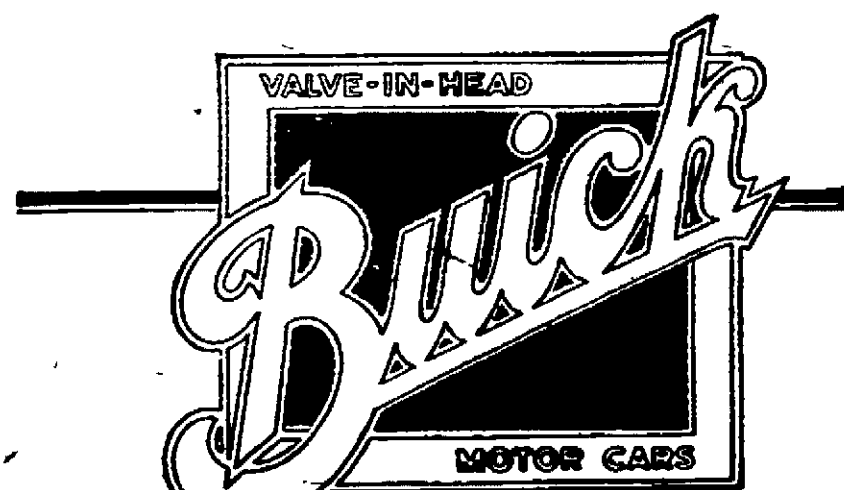
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Church Notes

Epiphany Church, Main and Jefferson streets. Rev. Malcolm S. Taylor, rector. 9:30 a. m. Church school; 11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon by the rector; 8 p. m. Union services at the First Presbyterian church. Rev. J. M. Shelburne preaching.

Christ church, Glenwood (Ringgold road). Rev. Malcolm S. Taylor, minister-in-charge. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; preaching service at 4 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Burton Memorial Presbyterian church, Schoolfield, Va. Preaching Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. Norman Cook. No preaching service at night.

Mt. Vernon M. E. Church, South. Rev. S. T. Senter, D. D., pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. Wiley Blodgett; D. D. Union service at night at First Presbyterian church. On Wednesday

evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, the members of Mt. Vernon will use the hour in constructive criticism of their church and its work.

Lee Street Baptist church, Sunday school at 9:30, J. H. Winkler, Supt. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. M. W. Royal. All E. Y. P. U.'s meet promptly at 7 p. m. The public is extended a cordial invitation.

Christian Science Society, 719 Masonic Temple. Services Sunday 11:00 a. m.; Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; Wednesday evening meetings 8:00 p. m.

First Presbyterian church, "Morning" service at 11 o'clock, preaching by Dr. J. Gray McAllister, of Louisville Theological Seminary. Union service at 8 p. m., preaching by Dr. Shelburne.

Jefferson Avenue Christian church. Rev. Charles L. Garrison, pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. R. V. Clutter, assistant superintendent in charge; sermon and communion at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon: "His Way the Best Way." Union services 8 p. m. at the First Presbyterian church.

Cabell Street Methodist. Rev. G. W. M. Taylor, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Distribution of membership tickets to annual outing to Roanoke, September 4th. Well organized school in all departments. Dr. Raymond Scruggs, the cornetist, will lead the inspirational music of the school. Brotherhood Bible class at 10 o'clock, subject to be considered: "The Whole Gospel." Sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. At the morning hour his subject will be: "The Rules of the Methodist

REVIEW OF LEAKSVILLE-SPRAY. DRAPER TEXTILE COMMUNITIES

Nestling among the hills of Rockingham County, North Carolina, along the banks of the Dan River and just a few miles south of the Virginia line is a veritable chain of textile-manufacturing plants that extends for a distance of five miles. The cotton and woolen mills of Leaksville, Spray and Draper may not be so imposing as some of the other large manufacturing establishments that have all of their equipment centralized in a smaller space; but, taking everything into consideration, this is one of the most enterprising and progressive groups of textile plants to be found anywhere. Included in this group are the Leaksville Mills, the Marshall-Field Mills, Leaksville Cotton Mills, Morehead Mills, Leaksville Woolen Mills and the Spray Cotton Mills, there being fourteen mills, all told. A

variety of manufactured articles is turned out, which includes blankets, bed-spreads, carpets and prints. Educational Advantages. The operatives have all the educational advantages they could wish for. There are seven grammar-grade schools and one high school. Six of these buildings are of brick construction, and they are all splendidly equipped. The students are under the direction of the best superintendents and teachers available, so that the quality of the work is A-1 in every respect. Plans are now being considered for the erection of more equipment, as it will soon be needed.

Y. M. C. A. Equipment. The Central Y. M. C. A. at Spray is equipped with a reading-room, billiard tables, bowling alley, shower baths and pool; gymnasium, barber shop and a boys' department. The officers of the Central Y. M. C. A. are: J. W. East, president of the board; Luther Hodges, recording secretary; and W. B. Weaver, treasurer. H. W. Owens is general secretary and W. T. Reader is secretary of the boys' department. There are three other "Y" buildings—one at Leaksville, J. K. Connell, general secretary; Draper, J. S. Hunter, general secretary, and North Spray, T. P. Shinn, general secretary. With this equipment the young people are provided every opportunity to engage in athletics and sports that will tend to develop men and women who are physically strong.

Athletics. Leaksville, Spray and Draper have teams in the various baseball associations. The Leaksville Baseball Association, composed of White Oak, Proximity, Leaksville, Spray, Draper and Schoolfield. Some splendid baseball talent is developed in these textile associations, some of which find its way to the big circuits. Spray won out in the first half of the season this year, taking ten games out of twelve. They have won two games and lost none in the second half of the season and are looking forward to coping with this half also. Basketball and volleyball teams are also maintained in the textile association.

Cooperation. There is a splendid cooperation between the operatives and their employers, which is fostered to a considerable extent through the many advantages provided on a mutual basis. The "Y's" are jointly financed by the operators and employees, the operators paying about one-third of the necessary amount and the balance being raised from the proceeds of the membership dues. There are 750 members at the Central "Y" at Spray. In addition to the other advantages, moving pictures are shown on Monday and Saturday evenings. Some of the best productions on the market have been brought to the Central "Y."

Churches. The people have a number of splendid church buildings at Leaksville, Spray and Draper. The structures are new and the equipment in most instances is modern and up-to-the-minute. Practically all denominations are represented, thus making it possible for the people to attend the church of their choice. There are three Baptist, two Methodist, three Presbyterian, two Methodist, one Wesleyan Methodist, one Episcopalian, one Pentecostal and one United Brethren, making a total of fourteen churches. The pastors of these churches are well equipped for their work, and the spiritual welfare of the people is being well cared for.

Sacred Heart Church (Catholic). Holbrook and Ross street. Rev. A. J. Halbleib, pastor. Mass on Sundays at 7 and 11; Sunday school 9:30; teachers meeting on Thursday at 7:30 p. m.; mass on week days at 7.

International Bible students meet in Owens' Hall Sunday 10 a. m. for Bible study, and on Wednesday 7:30 p. m. for prayer meeting and Bible study. All welcome. Seats free, no collection.

Danville Circuit, Rev. W. L. King, pastor. Sunday schools at the usual hours in the morning. The J. L. Browder Bible class at Stokesland will be taught by Mr. Charles Orchard. Preaching at Design at 11 a. m. and at Stokesland at 7:45 p. m.

Calvary Methodist, Joseph S. Gresham, pastor. Sunday school and Bible classes 9:30, H. M. Martin, superintendent. Morning worship at 11:00. Special music by Basil Browder and Mrs. James Martin. Address by Major Harry Webb Farrington, internationally known as a speaker and author. Evening worship at 8:00. Sermon by Rev. S. J. Battin, presiding elder. Special music led by Mrs. M. E. Roberts and Mrs. S. L. Caldwell. Epworth League, 7:15 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday 8:00 p. m. Regular meeting of Calvary Carey Barker Club, Friday, 8:00 p. m.

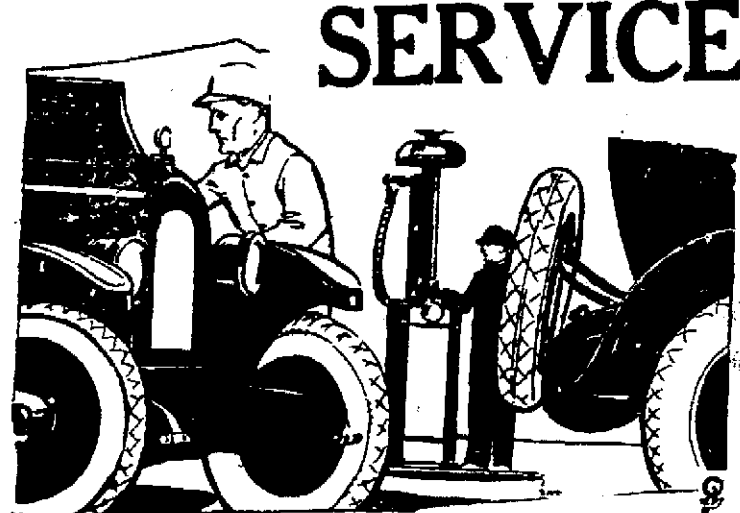
Sledd Memorial Methodist, Rev. Jno. W. Rustin, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. No preaching service at 11:00 a. m. Congregation invited to worship at Main street M. E. church. Preaching by the pastor at 8 p. m.

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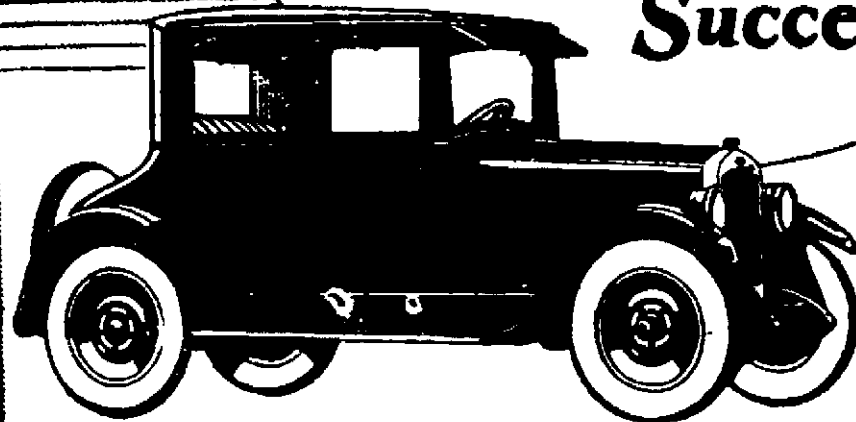
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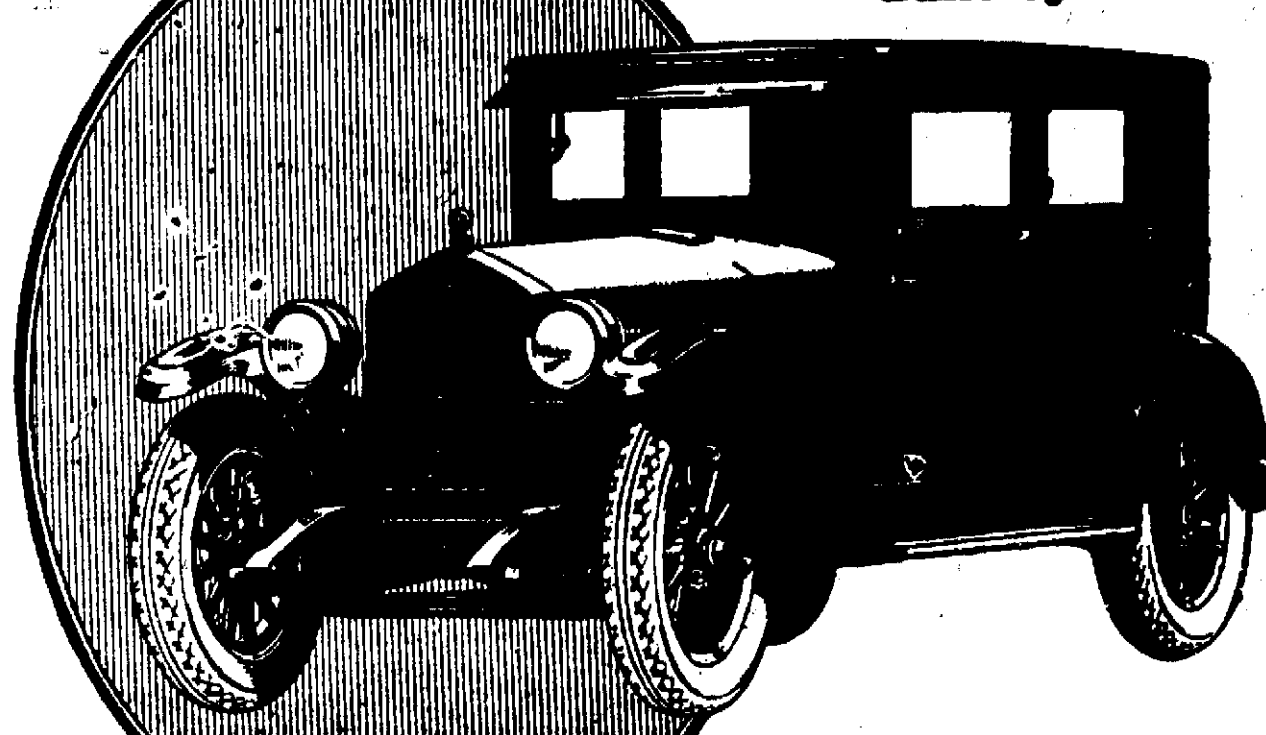
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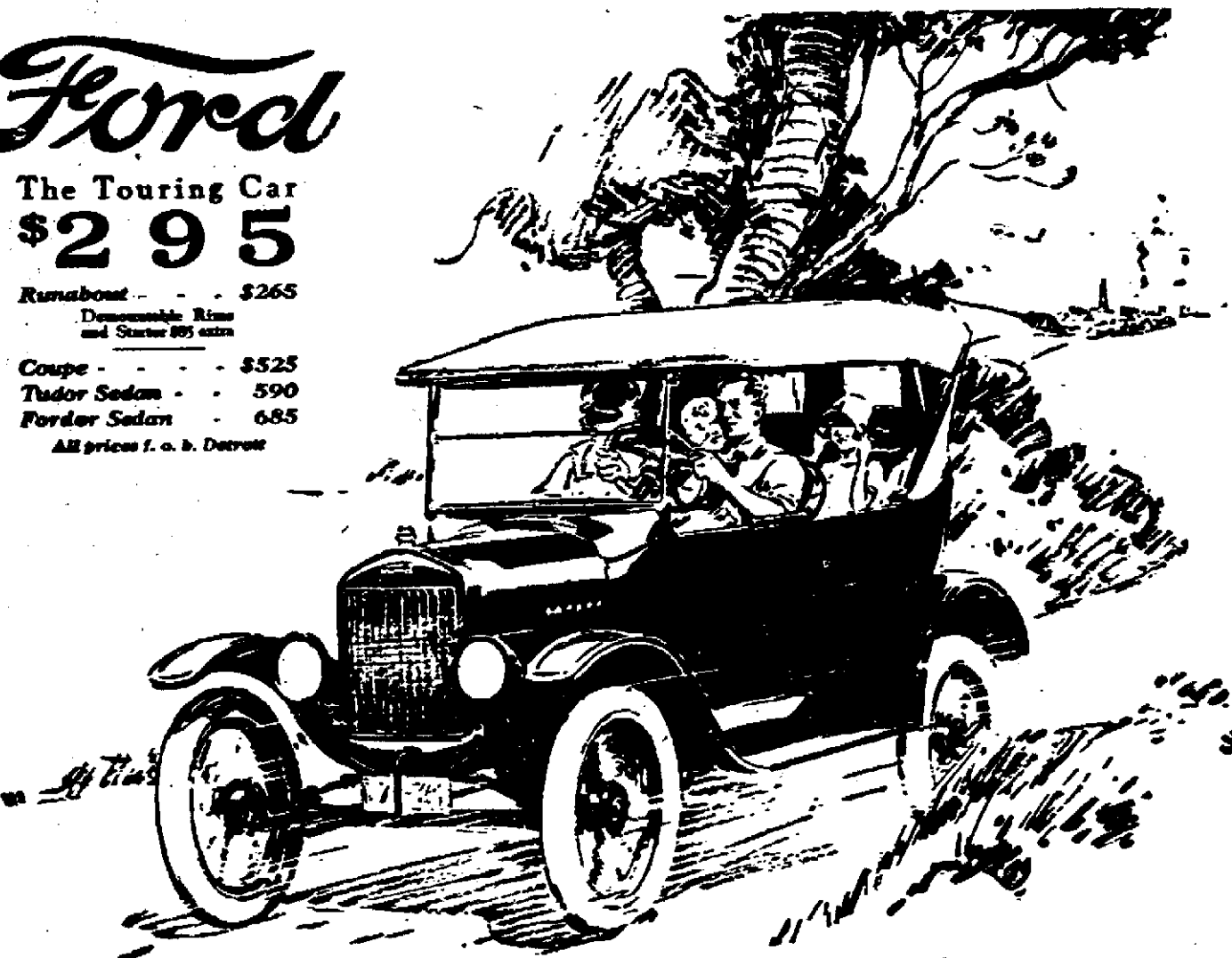
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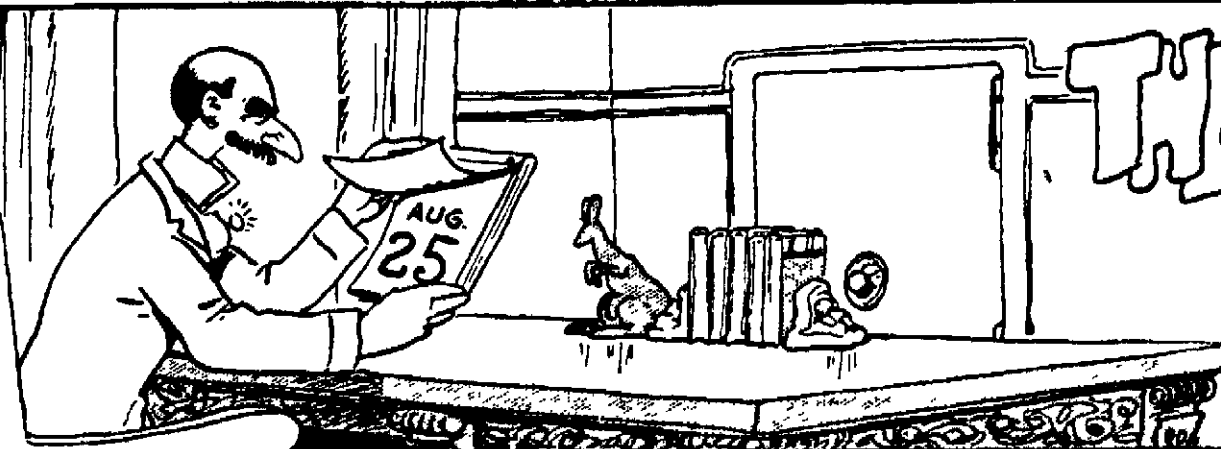
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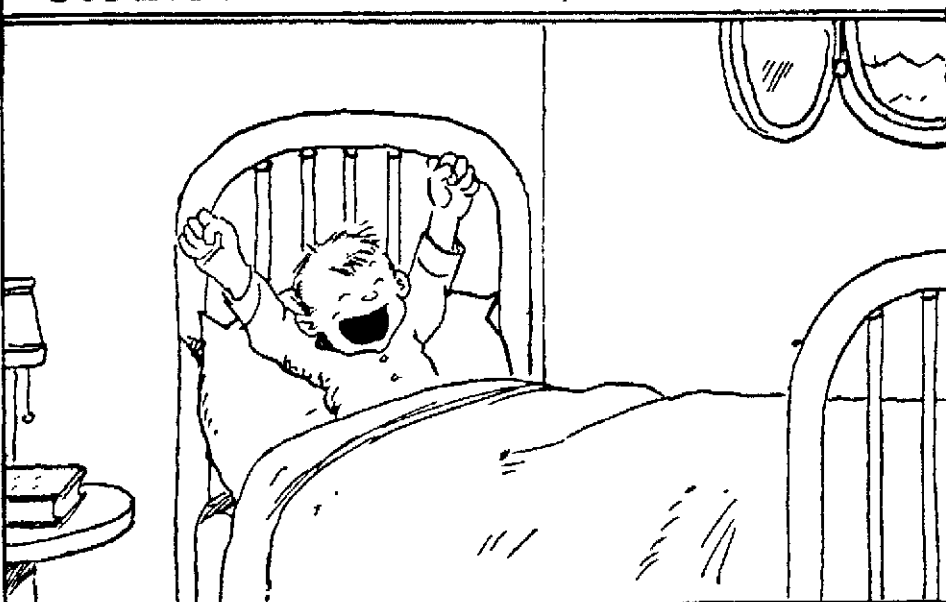
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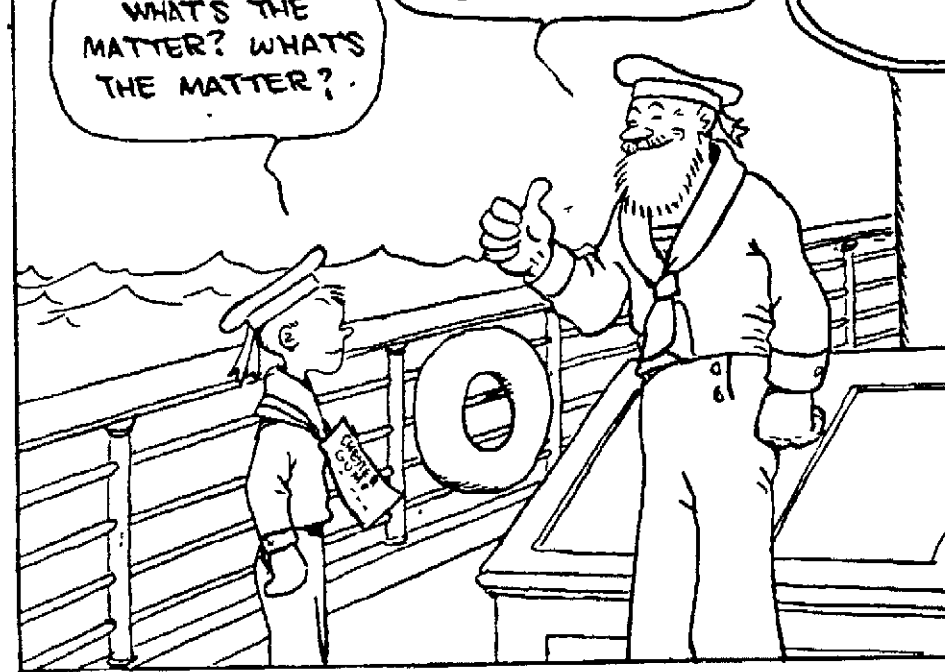


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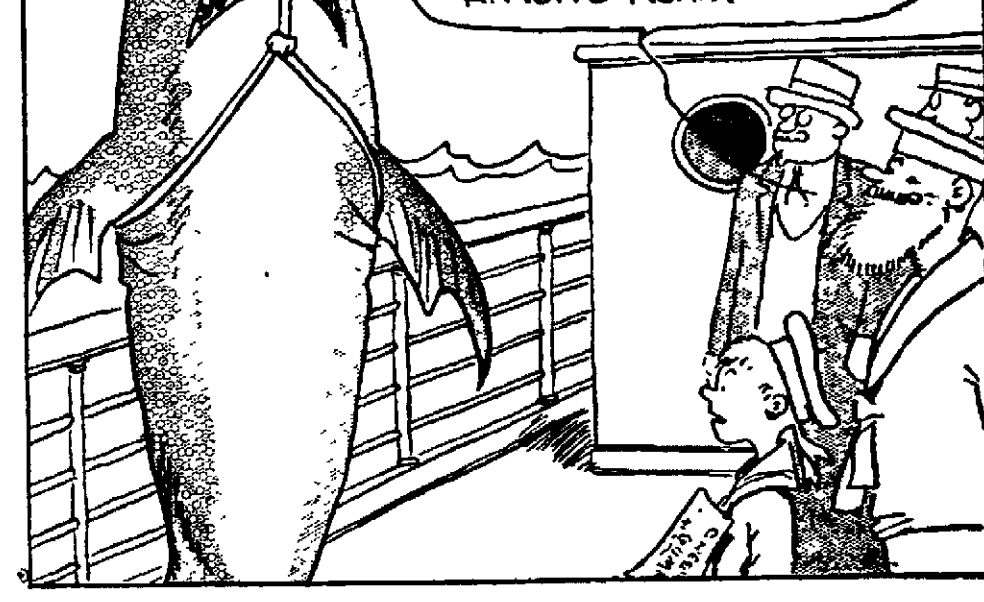
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FUN - THEY HAVE JUST HOOKED
A GREAT BIG MAN-EATING
SHARK AND ARE HOISTING IT
ON BOARD - RUN AND
SEE THE FUN -



THAT SPECIES OF
SHARK IS CALLED THE
TIGER OF THE SEA - THEY'LL
EAT A LITTLE BOY AS
FAST AS YOU WOULD EAT
A GINGERSNAP - BUT THAT
FELLOW WILL NEVER HARM
ANYONE AGAIN -

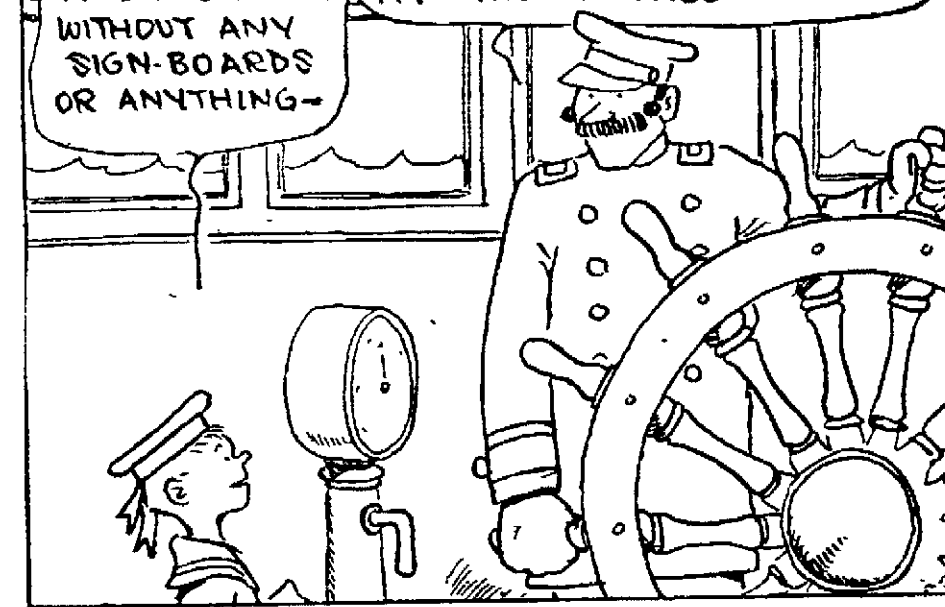


IS THE
SHARK THE
BIGGEST FISH
IN THE OCEAN?

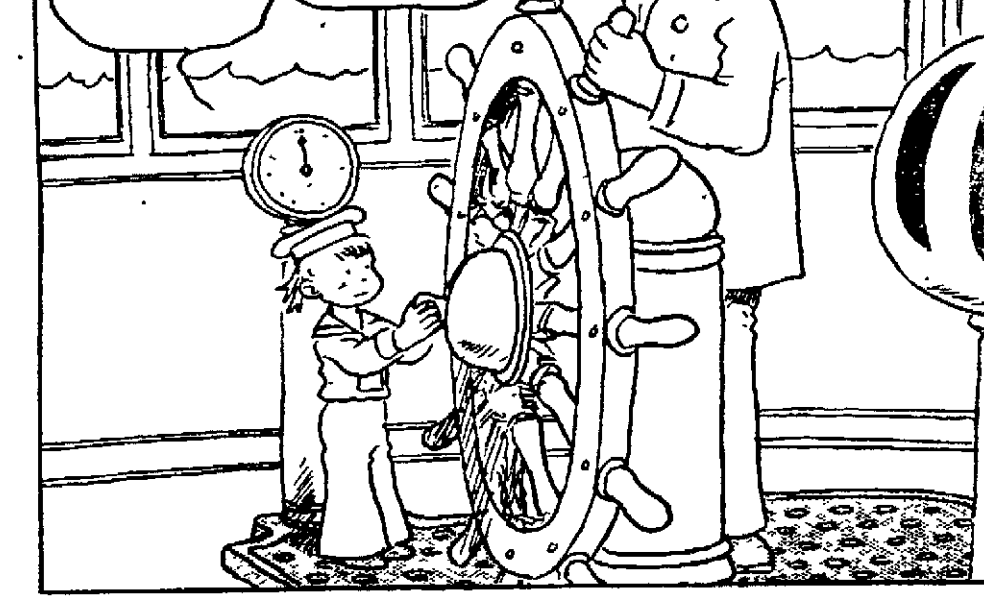
OH NO - COMPARED TO
THE WHALE A SHARK IS NO
BIGGER THAN A SARDINE -
A WHALE IS AS LONG AS
THREE STREET-CARS AND
WEIGHS MORE THAN TWO
HUNDRED AUTOMOBILES - A
WHALE'S TONGUE IS AS LARGE
AS A SHARK'S WHOLE CARCASS -
BUT THE WHALE IS GENTLE AND
PEACEFUL AND WOULD
NEVER HARM
A LITTLE BOY
LIKE YOU -



THE SUN AND THE STARS
ARE THE SAILOR'S GUIDE-BOOK -
EVERY LITTLE STAR THAT YOU
SEE TWINKLING IN THE SKY
IS TELLING THE SAILORS
JUST HOW TO STEER THEIR
SHIPS WITHOUT EVER LOOKING
AT THE COMPASS -

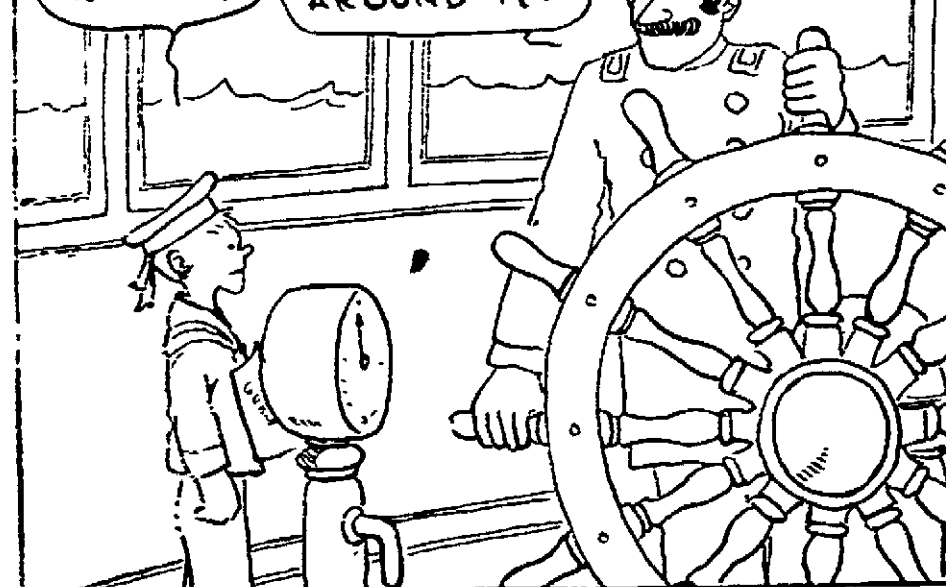


IT'S A LITTLE NEEDLE THAT
WE KEEP IN A BOX - IT ALWAYS
POINTS DIRECTLY NORTH AND BY
WATCHING IT WE CAN STEER THE
SHIP IN A STRAIGHT
LINE ACROSS
THE WIDE
OCEAN -



GEE, THIS
IS A BIG
OCEAN,
ISN'T IT?

THE PACIFIC IS THE LARGEST
OF ALL THE OCEANS - IF YOU
PLACED THE WHOLE UNITED STATES
IN THE CENTER OF THIS BIG
OCEAN IT WOULD HAVE THOUSANDS
OF MILES OF WATER ALL
AROUND IT -



IS IT
VERY
DEEP
HERE?

THIS IS THE DEEPEST PART OF
THE PACIFIC - YOU COULD PLACE A
MOUNTAIN LIKE PIKE'S PEAK ON
THE BOTTOM OF THE OCEAN
WITH THE WOOLWORTH BUILDING
AND THE WASHINGTON
MONUMENT
PILED ON TOP
OF IT AND YOU
WOULD STILL BE
THOUSANDS OF
FEET FROM THE
SURFACE -

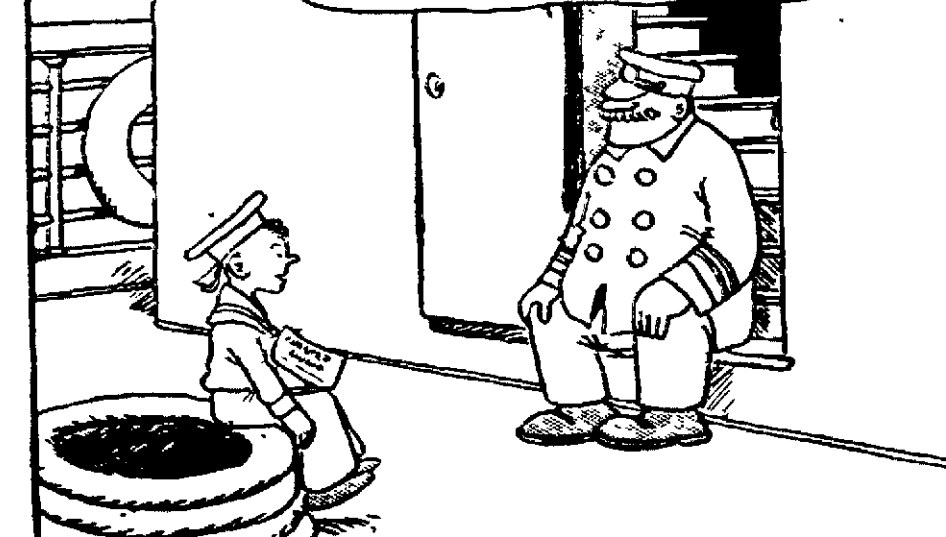


IF YOU STARTED TO CLIMB DOWN
A LONG LADDER REACHING FROM
THE SHIP'S DECK TO THE BOTTOM
OF THE OCEAN YOU WOULD HAVE
TO KEEP CLIMBING DOWNWARDS
ALL DAY BEFORE YOU REACHED
DAVEY JONES' LOCKER -



WHO IS
DAVEY
JONES?

DAVEY JONES IS A VERY
KIND OLD MAN WHO HAS BEEN
LIVING AT THE BOTTOM OF THE
SEA FOR THOUSANDS AND MILLIONS
OF YEARS - HE HAS A BEAUTIFUL
PALACE AT THE BOTTOM OF THE
SEA WHERE HE TAKES CARE OF
ANYONE WHO IS LOST AT THE
BOTTOM OF THE OCEAN -



WHAT DOES
MR. JONES
USE HIS
LOCKER
FOR?

THAT'S WHERE HE PUTS
THE SHIPS - WHENEVER A
SHIP SINKS IN THE OCEAN
DAVEY JONES FINDS IT AND
PUTS IT INTO A GREAT BIG
LOCKER WHERE HE KEEPS
IT SAFE AND SOUND
FOREVER AND FOREVER -



"DEAR PAPA AND MAMA; -
I AM AWAY
WAY OUT ON THE OCEAN HAVING A
NICE TIME BUT I WISH YOU WERE
BOTH HERE WITH ME AND THEN I
WOULDN'T BE LONELY FOR YOU.
*THIS IS THE NICEST BOAT IN
THE WHOLE WORLD - I HAVE LOTS
OF FUN ALL THE TIME. THE SAILORS
TELL ME WONDERFUL STORIES
ABOUT THE SEA AND THE CAPTAIN
LETS ME HELP HIM RUN THE SHIP.
I WEAR MY SAILOR SUIT EVERY
DAY AND I LOVE MY
PAPA AND MAMA.
CHESTER GUMPS"



MOON MULLINS.

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TUT-TUT-MY LITTLE MAN. I WOULDN'T HOWL LIKE THAT, IF I WERE YOU, JUST BECAUSE I GOT AN ORDINARY LITTLE SPANKING

BUT THAT WASN'T NO ORDINARY SPANKING, NO SIR. ME BRUDDER MOON GIVE IT TO ME, AN' HE'S THE BASS DRUM PLAYER IN THE CIRCUS BAND.



I AM GOING TO ADDRESS OUR "YOUNG MEN'S UPLIFT CLUB" TO-DAY AND I WISH YOU WOULD COME-I WANT TO USE YOU AS THE HORRIBLE EXAMPLE AND GIVE YOU SOME EXCELLENT ADVICE.

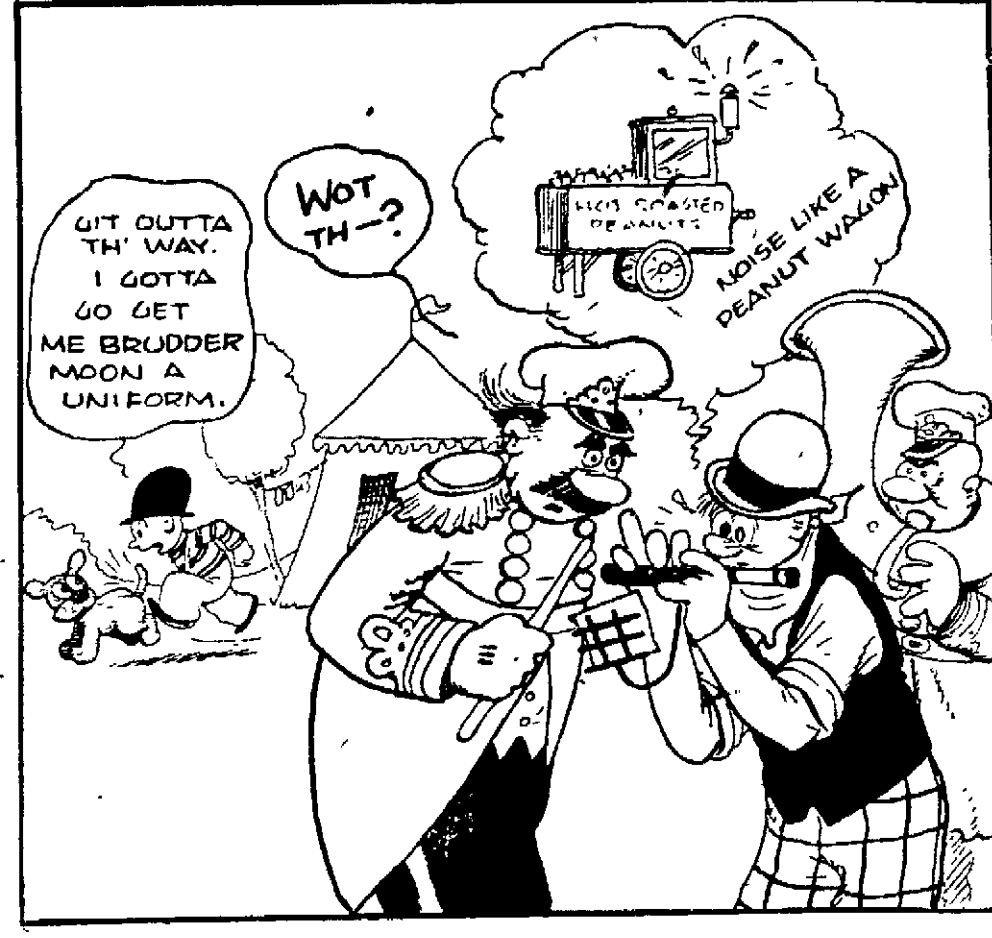
I'M LOOKIN' FER A JOB DEACON- YOU CAN'T SPEND ADVICE

I KNOW WHERE YA' CAN GET A JOB, MOON.



THE BASS DRUMMER JES SOCKED THE PICCOLO PLAYER ON THE KISSER AND KNOCKED ALL THE PUCKER OUT OF HIS LIPS. AND THE BAND LEADER SAYS HE'LL PAY \$40 A WEEK FOR A NEW PICCOLO PLAYER.

FORTY BUCKS, A WEEK! WHODEEE. LEAD ME TO THAT JOB, KAYO.



GIT OUTTA TH' WAY. I GOTTA GO GET ME BRUDDER MOON A UNIFORM.

WOT TH'?

MOON CRASHED DE ANKLES NOISE LIKE A PEANUT WALLOP

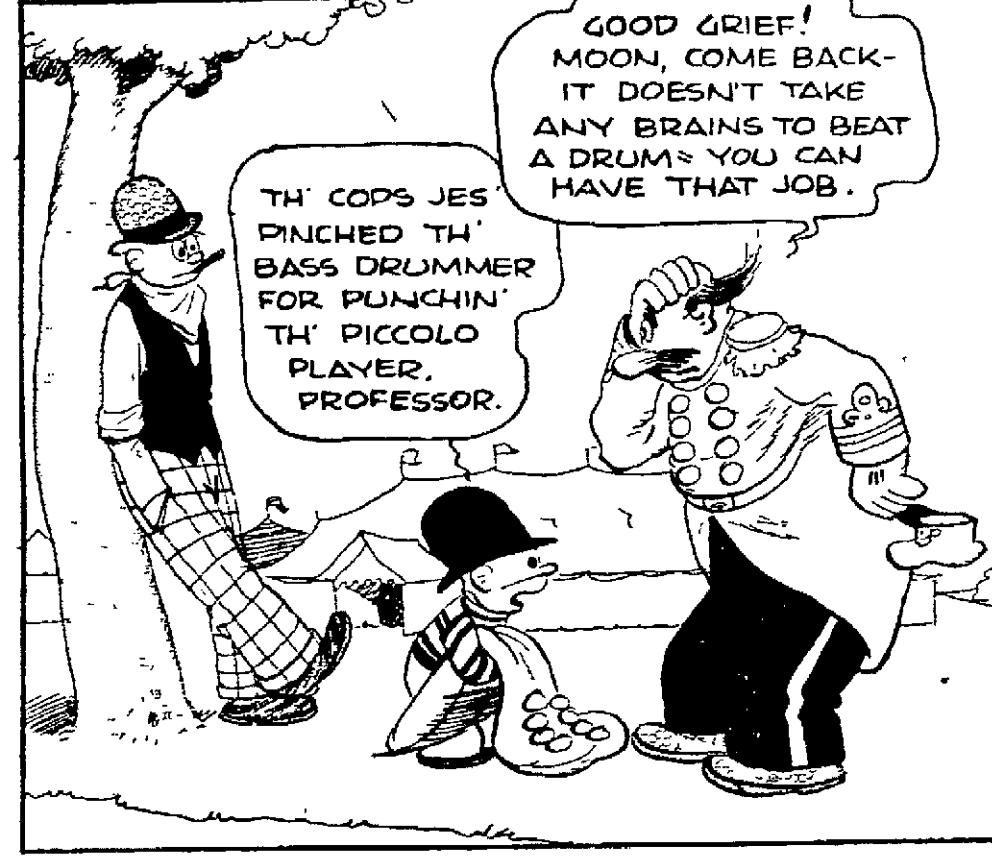


STOP! YOU IDIOT- WHAT DO YOU MEAN APPLYING FOR THIS JOB? WHY YOU NEVER HAD A PICCOLO IN YOUR HANDS BEFORE IN YOUR LIFE.



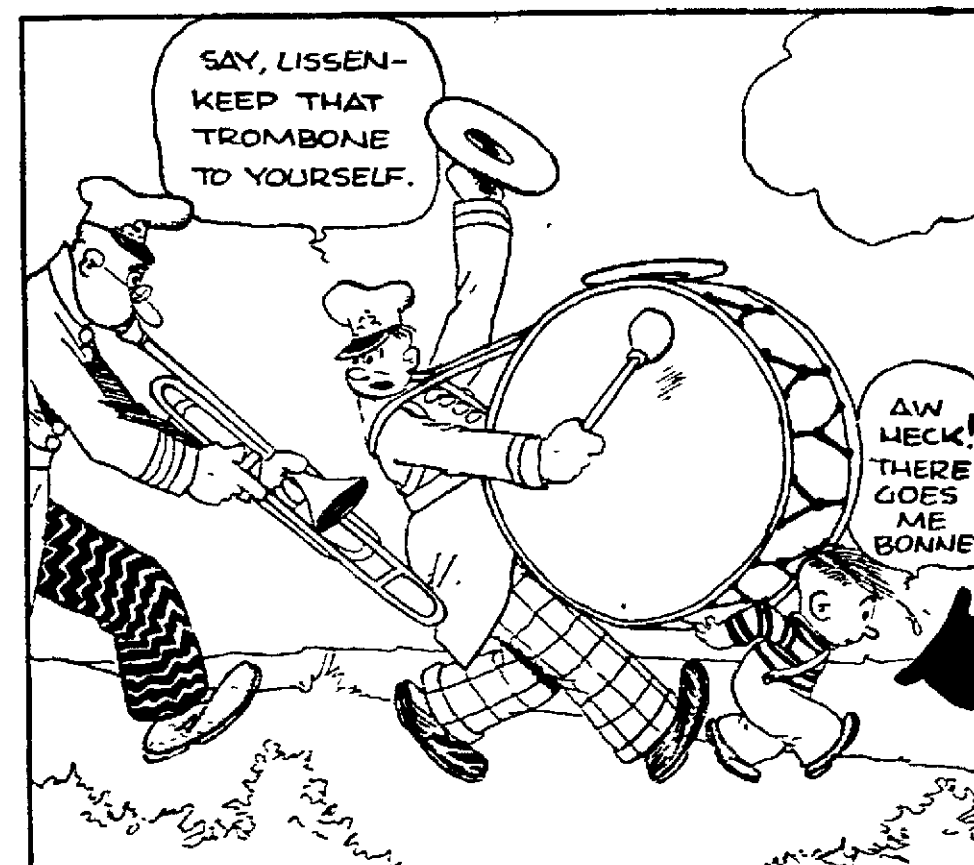
WELL, I DIDN'T THINK TH' DOGGONE THING WAS SO HARD TO LEARN.

BAH! GET OUT!!



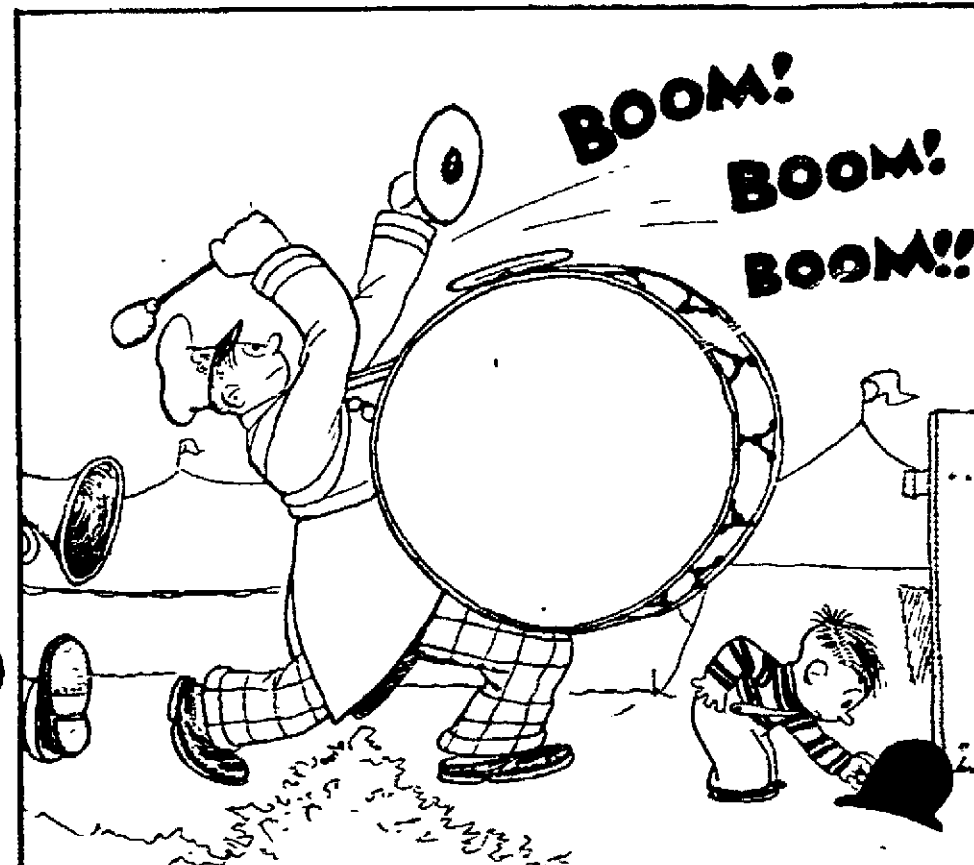
TH' COPS JES PINCHED TH' BASS DRUMMER FOR PUNCHIN' TH' PICCOLO PLAYER, PROFESSOR.

GOOD GRIEF! MOON, COME BACK- IT DOESN'T TAKE ANY BRAINS TO BEAT A DRUM- YOU CAN HAVE THAT JOB.

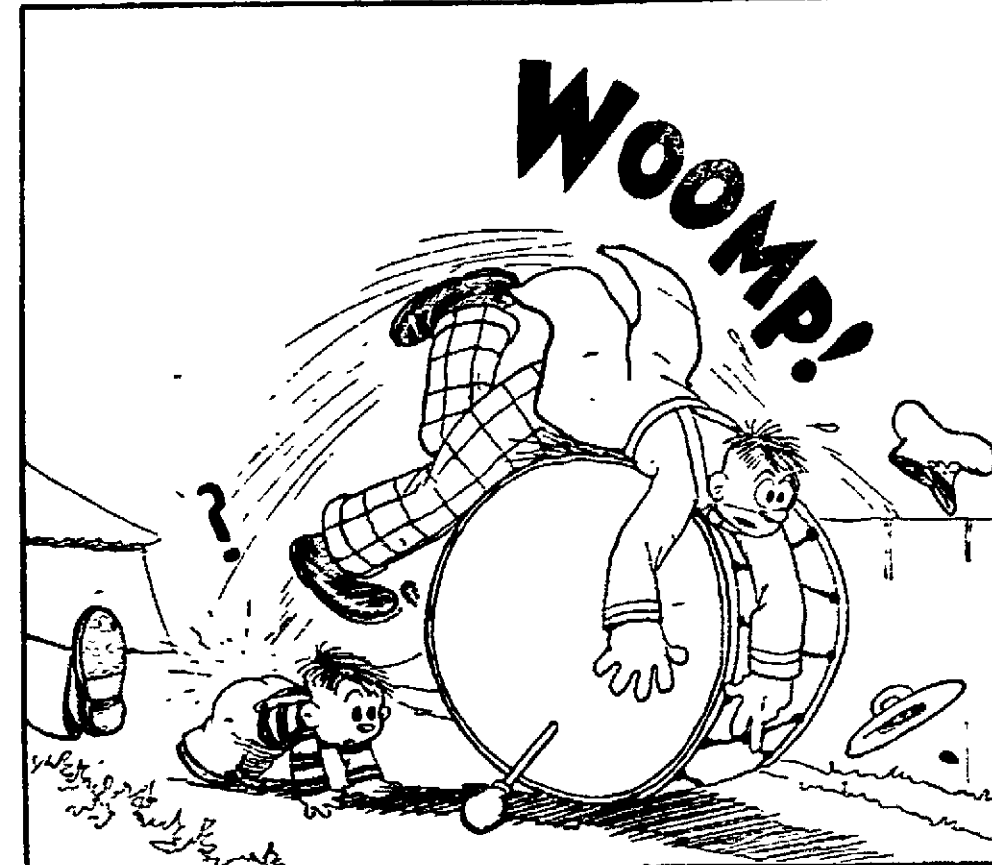


SAY, LISSSEN- KEEP THAT TROMBONE TO YOURSELF.

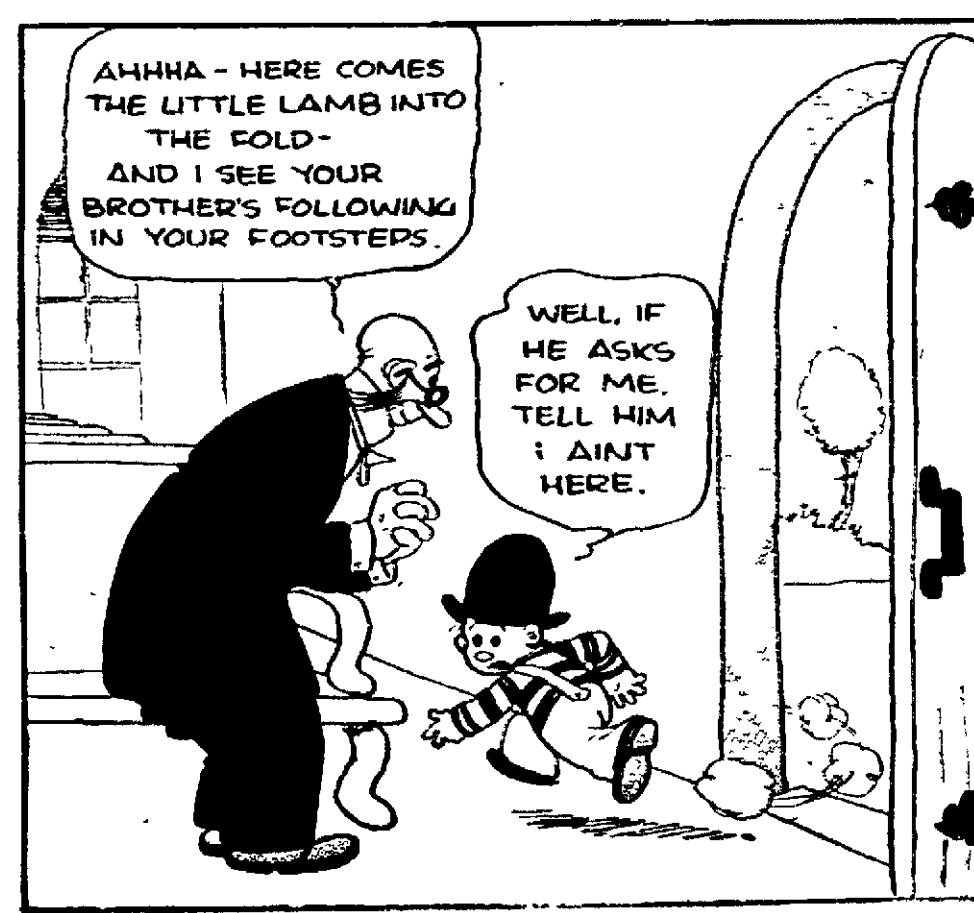
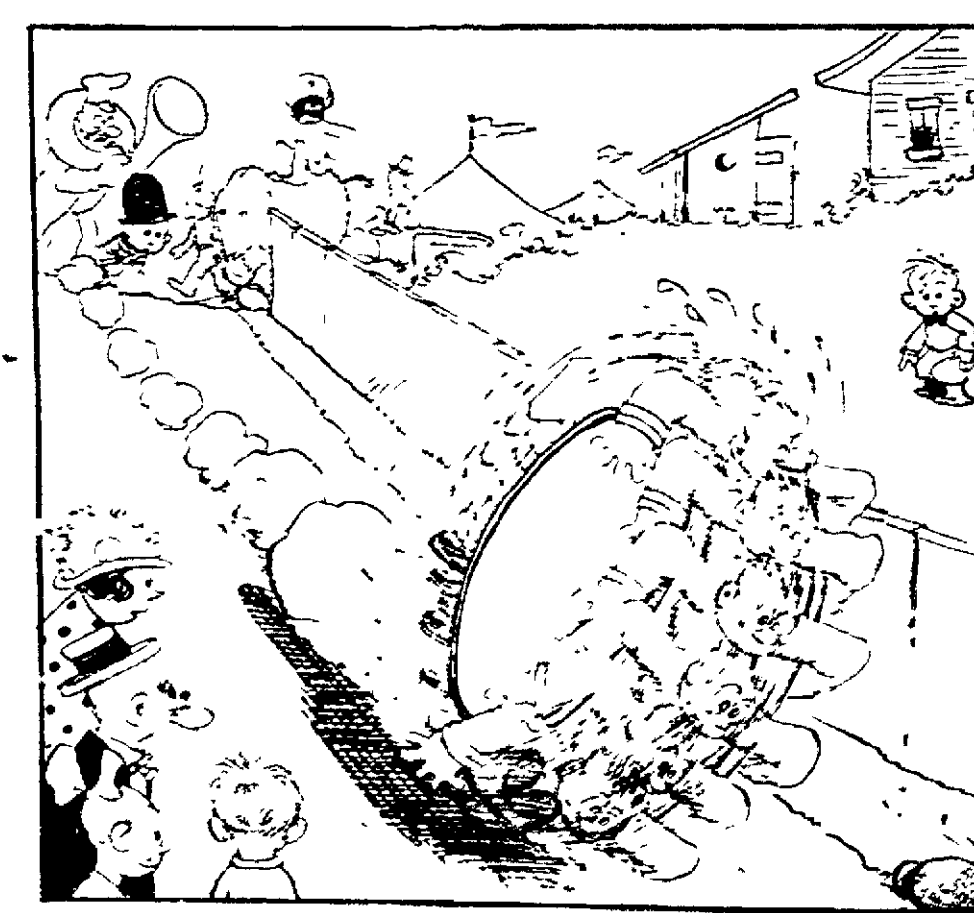
AW WEEK! THERE GOES ME BONNET



BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!!

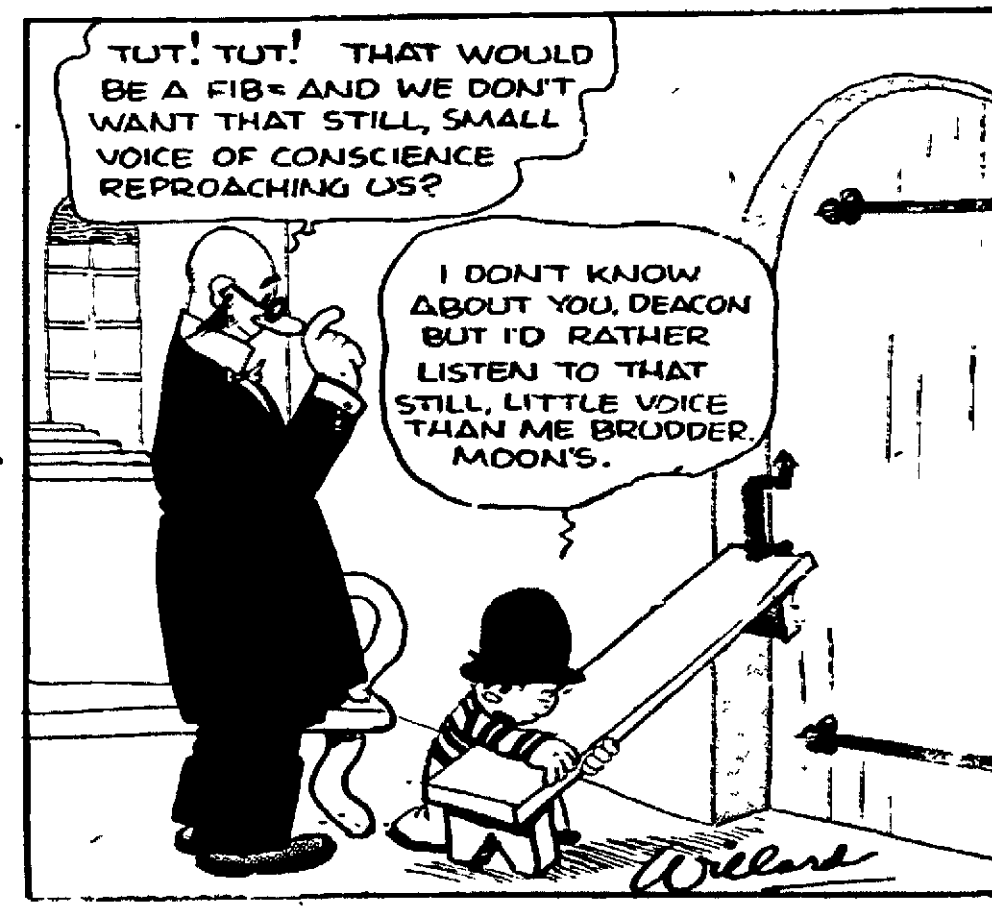


WOOMP!



AHHHA - HERE COMES THE LITTLE LAMB INTO THE FOLD- AND I SEE YOUR BROTHER'S FOLLOWING IN YOUR FOOTSTEPS.

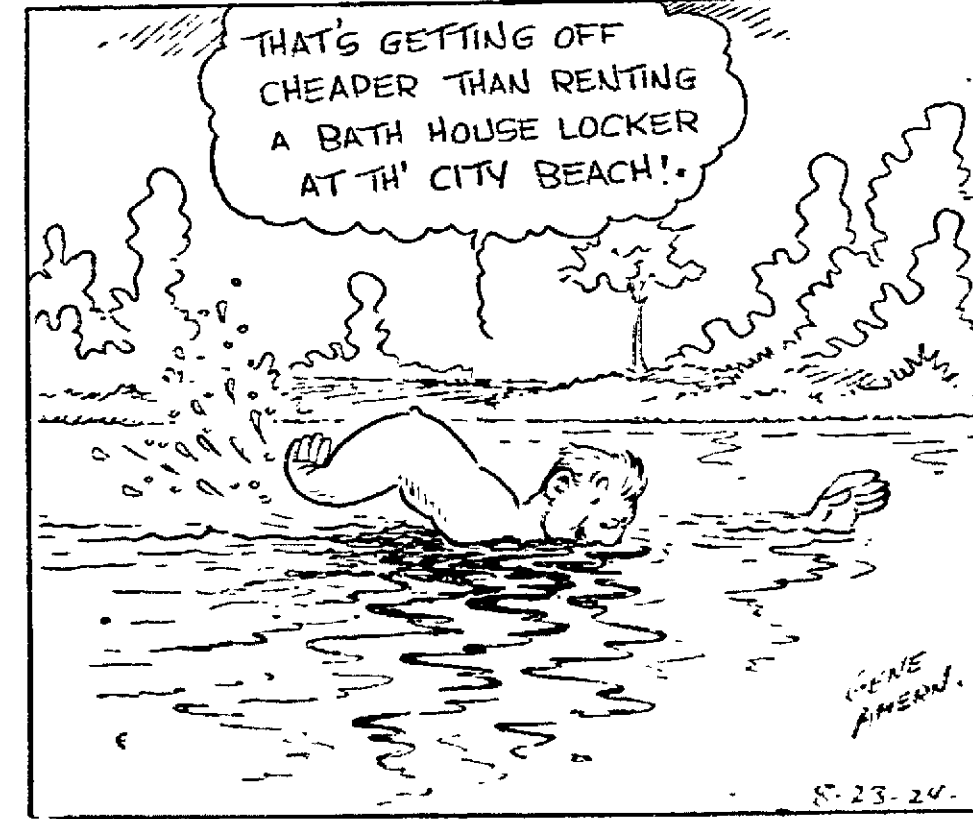
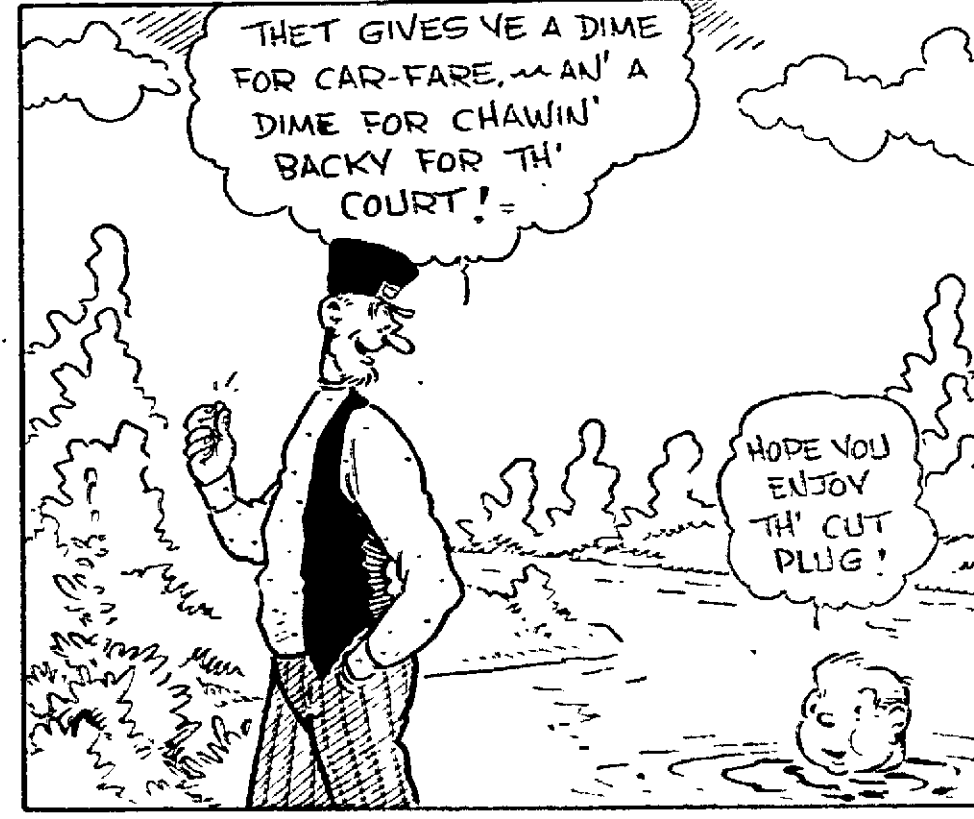
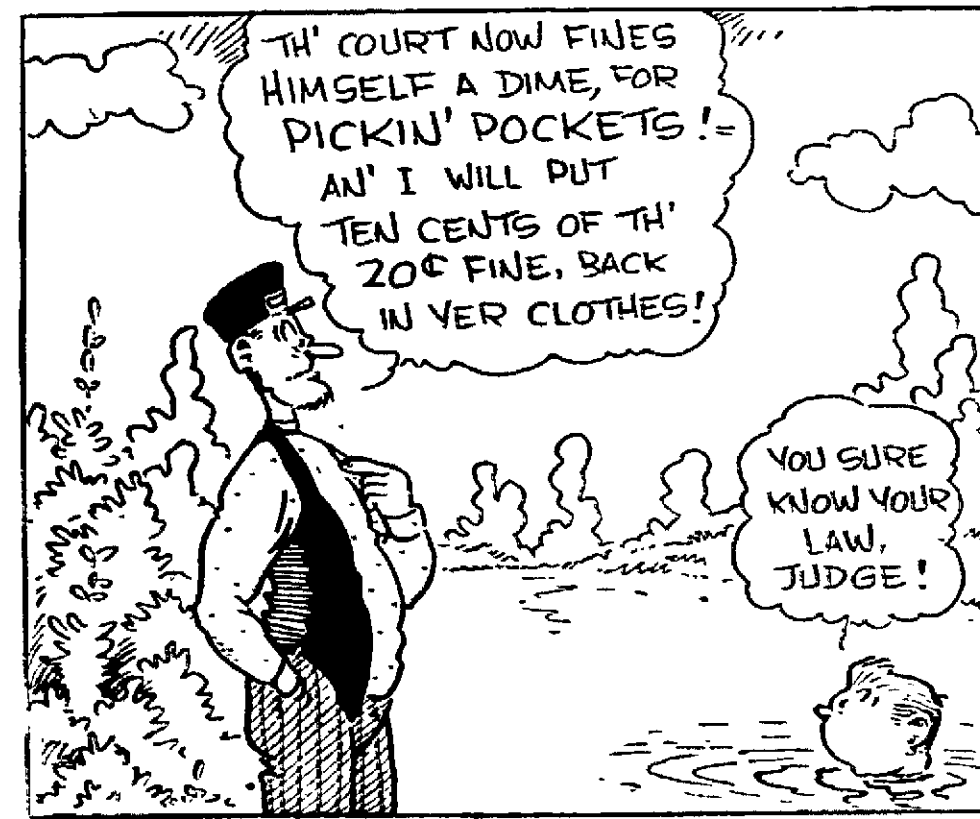
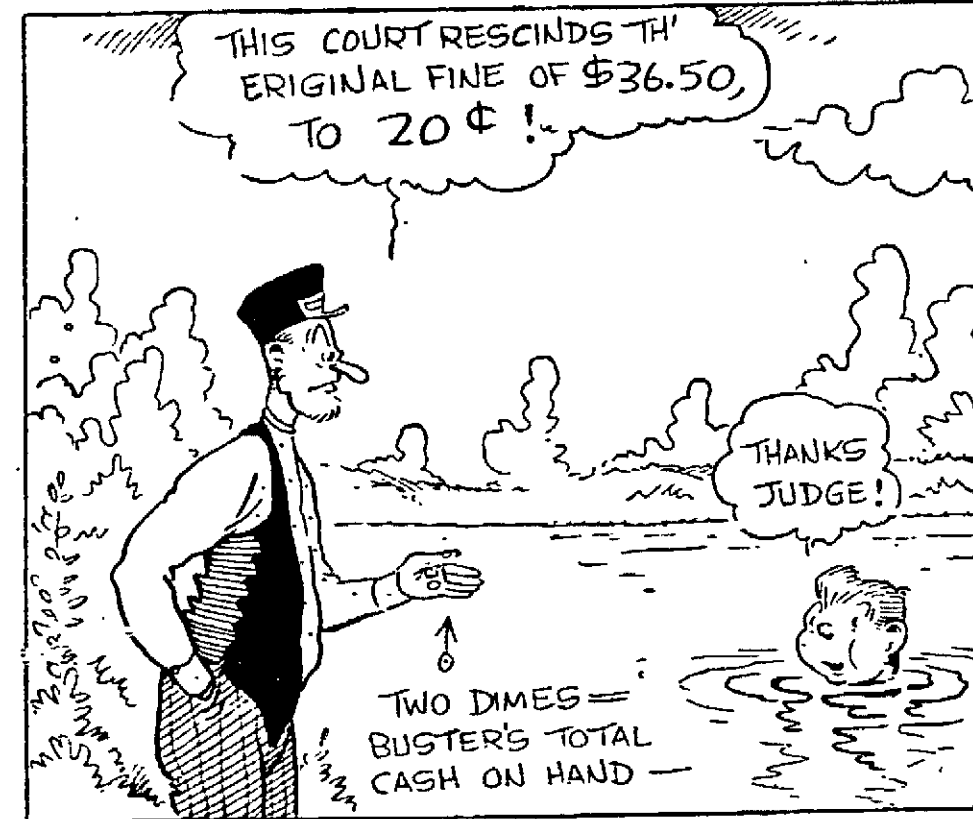
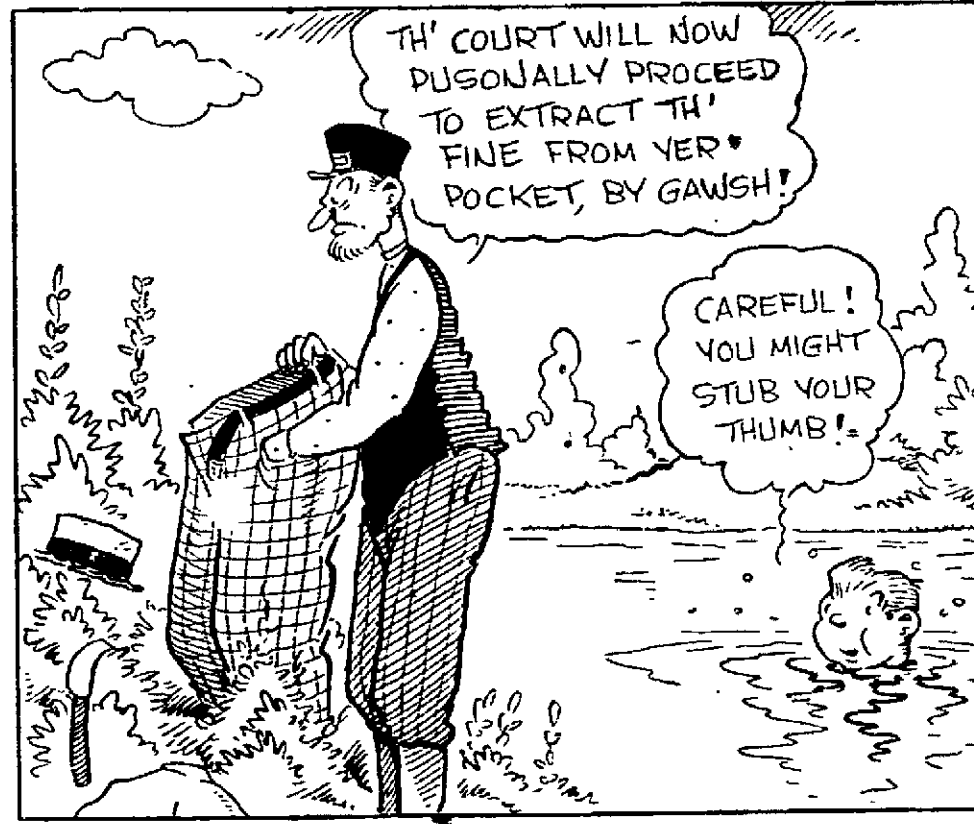
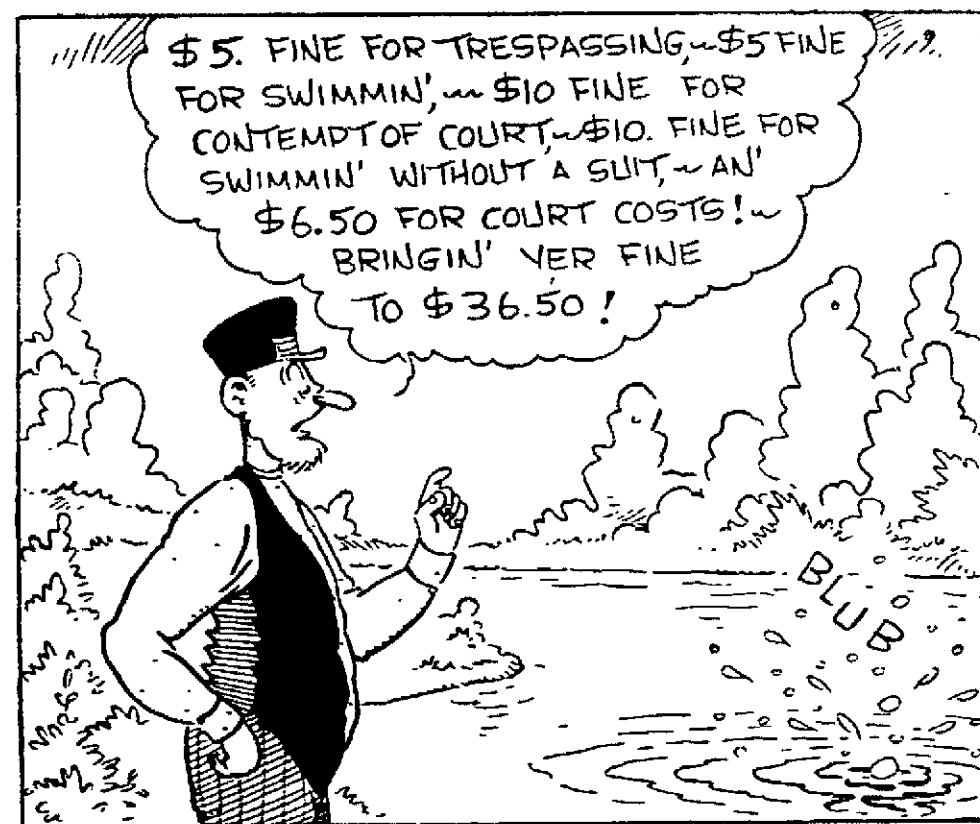
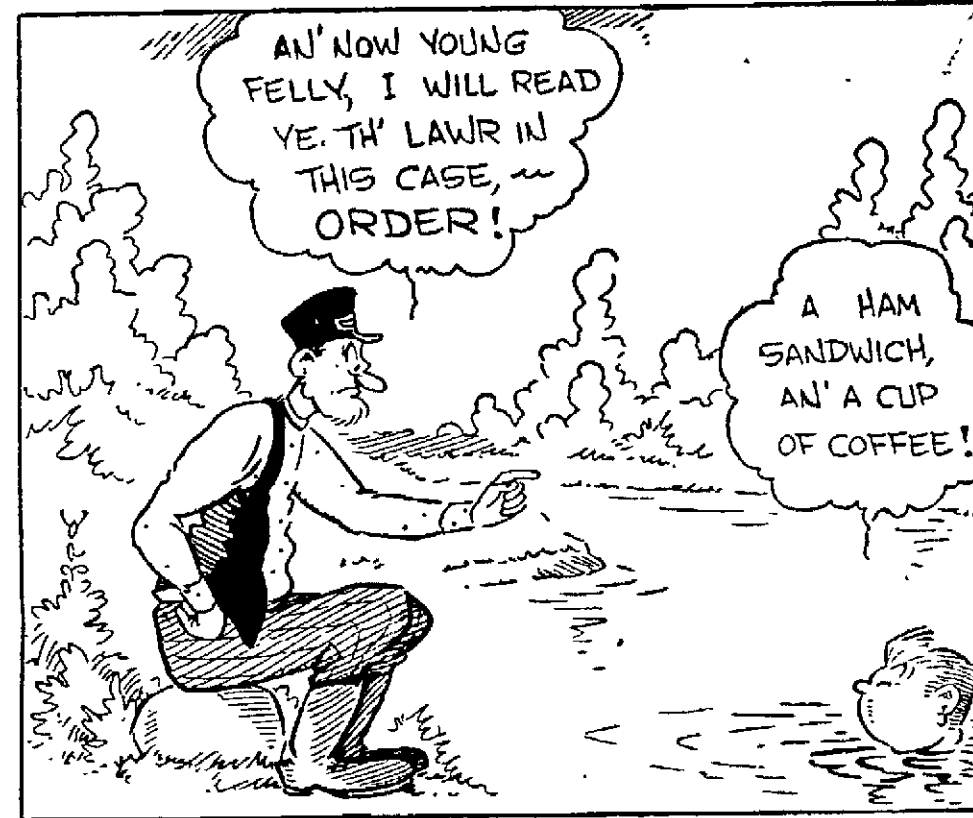
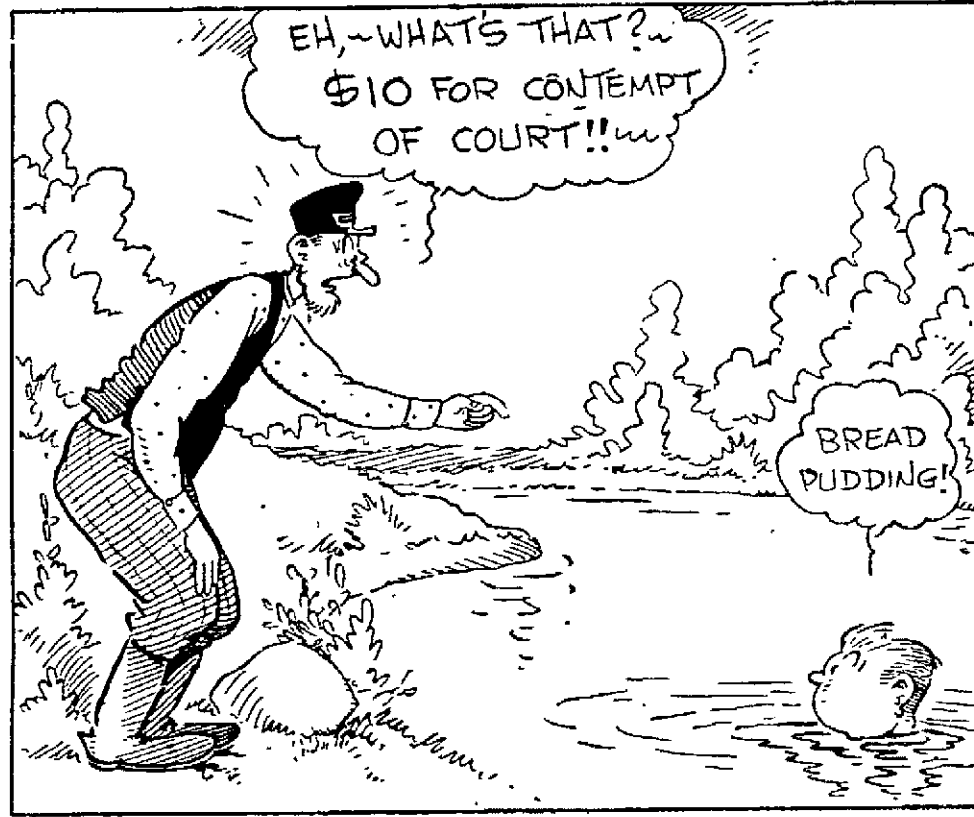
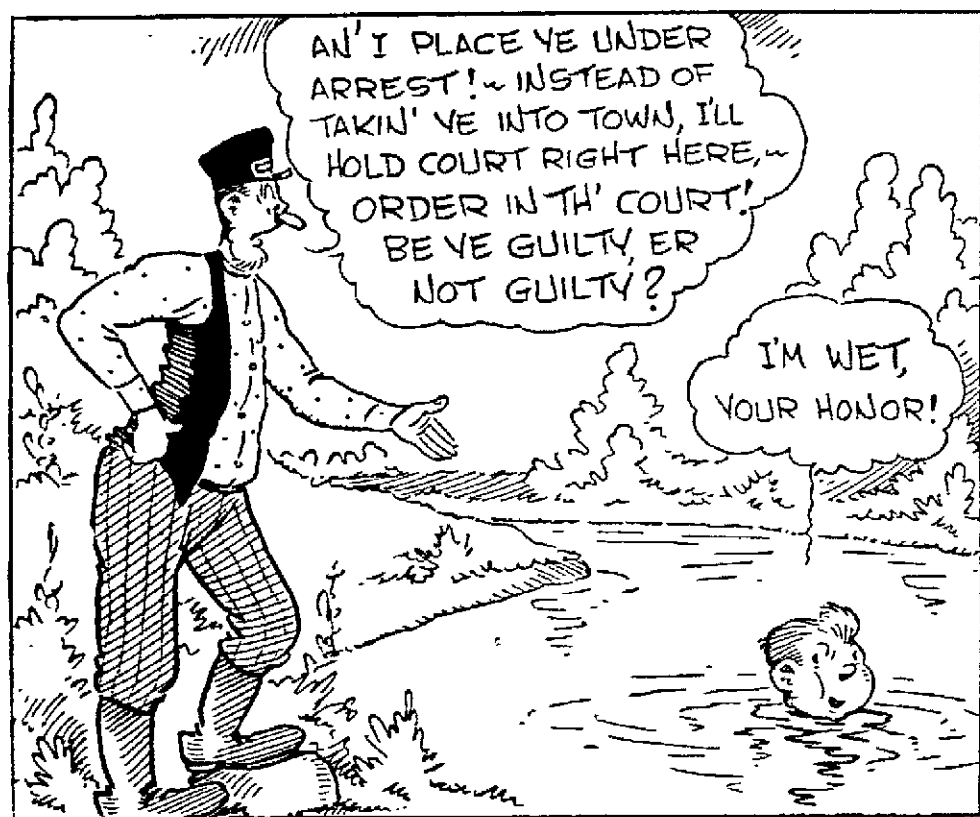
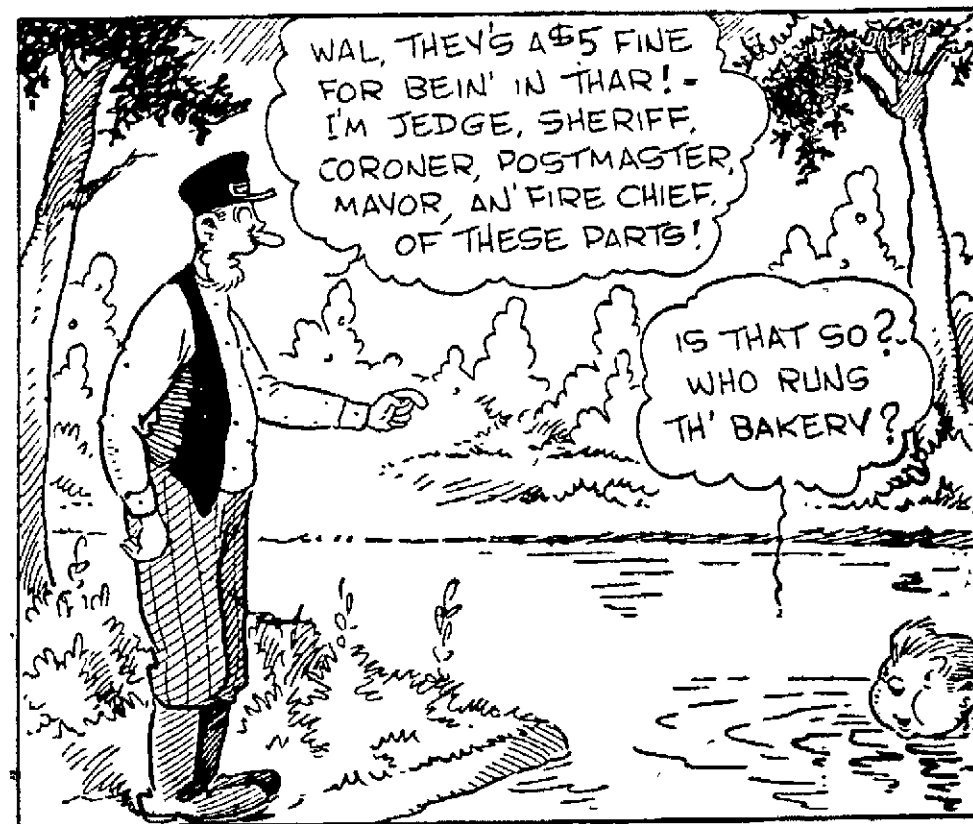
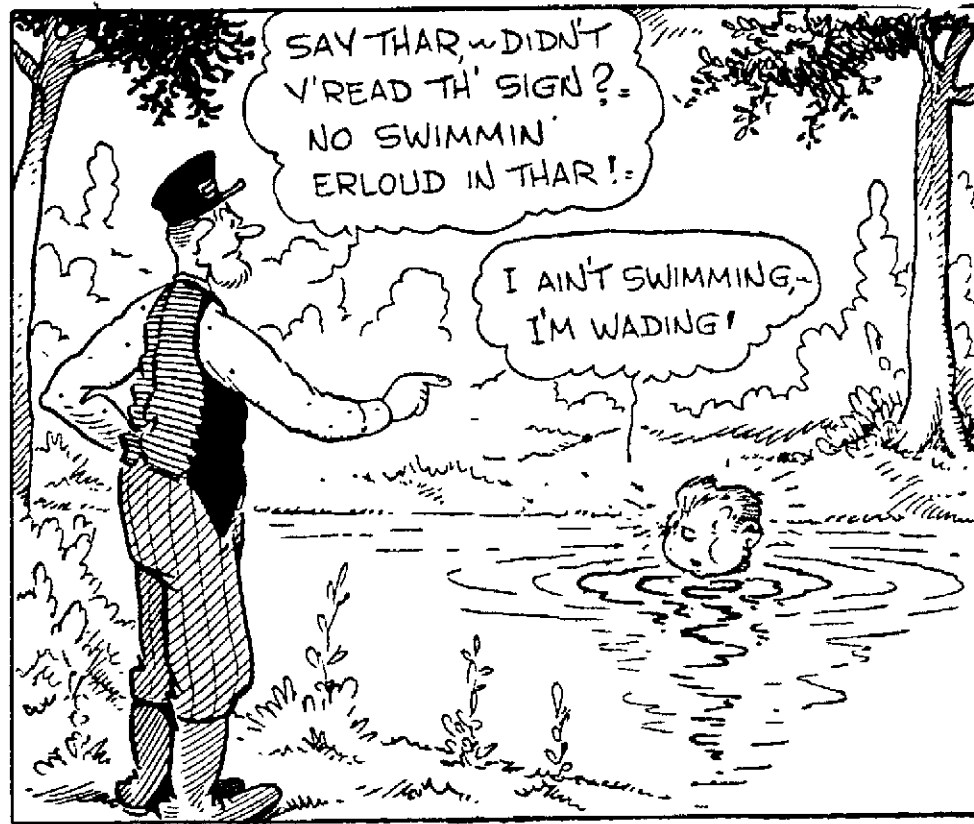
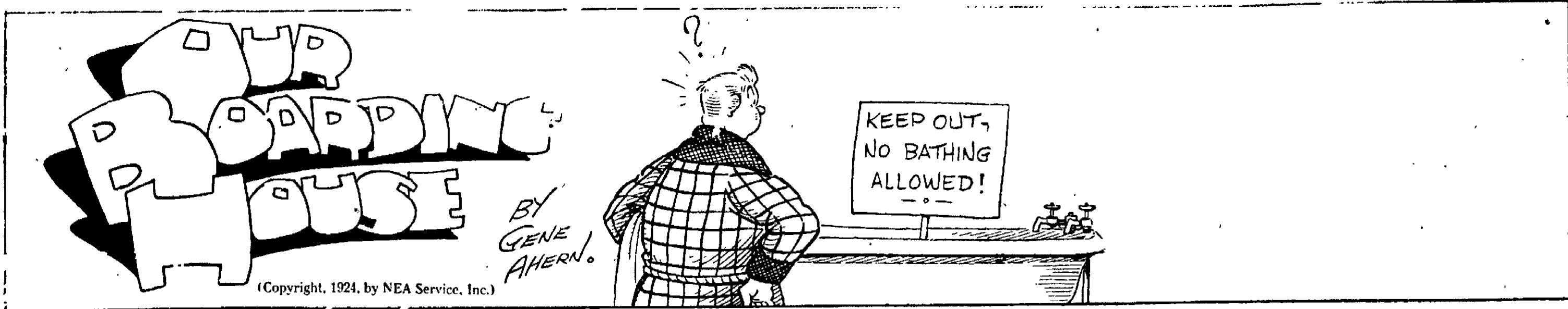
WELL, IF HE ASKS FOR ME, TELL HIM I AINT HERE.



TUT! TUT! THAT WOULD BE A FIB- AND WE DON'T WANT THAT STILL, SMALL VOICE OF CONSCIENCE REPROACHING US?

I DON'T KNOW ABOUT YOU, DEACON BUT I'D RATHER LISTEN TO THAT STILL, LITTLE VOICE THAN ME BRUDDER MOON'S.

Willard

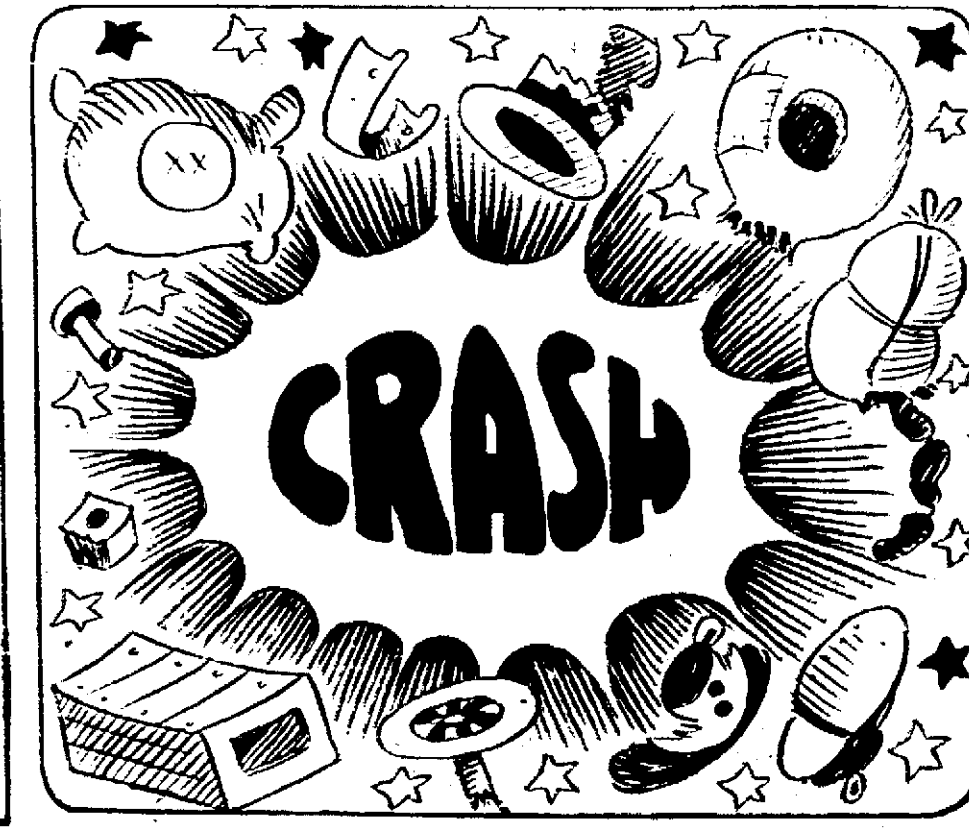
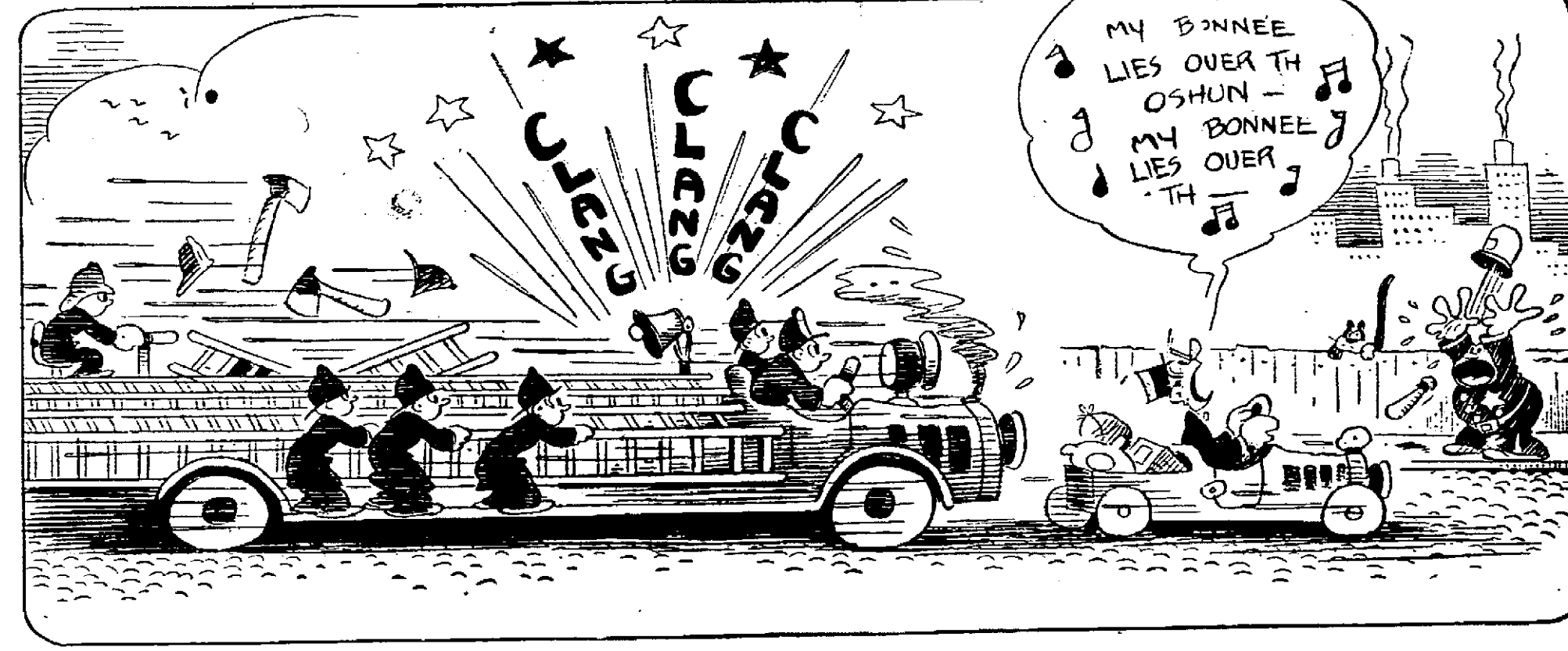
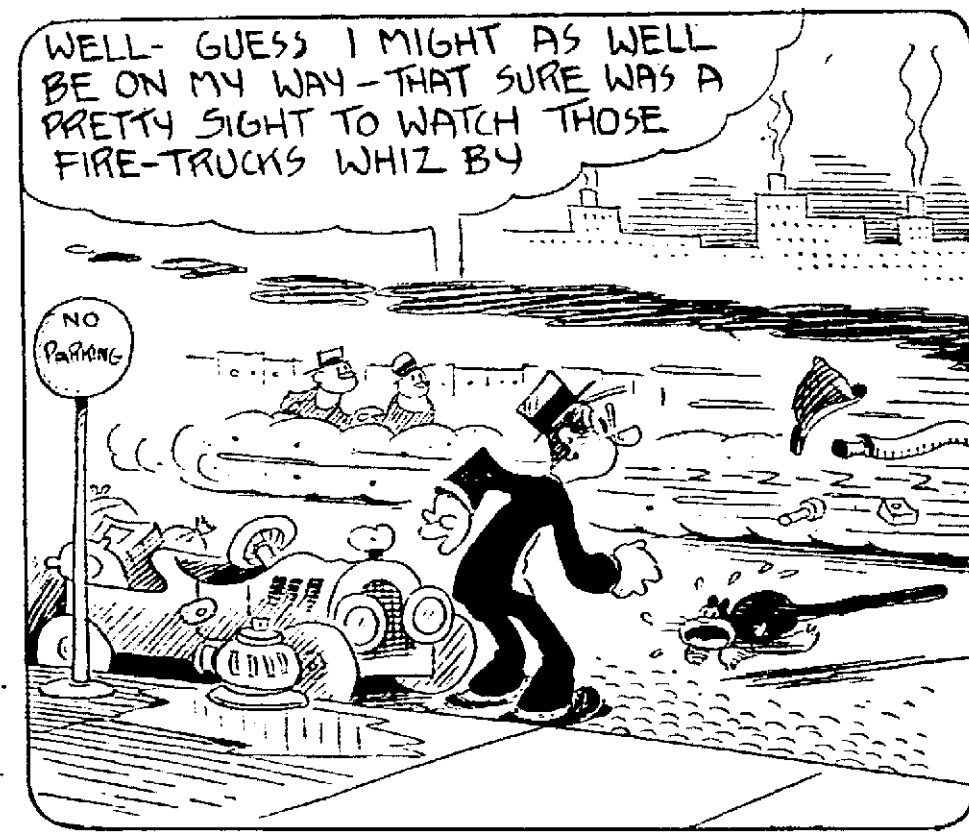
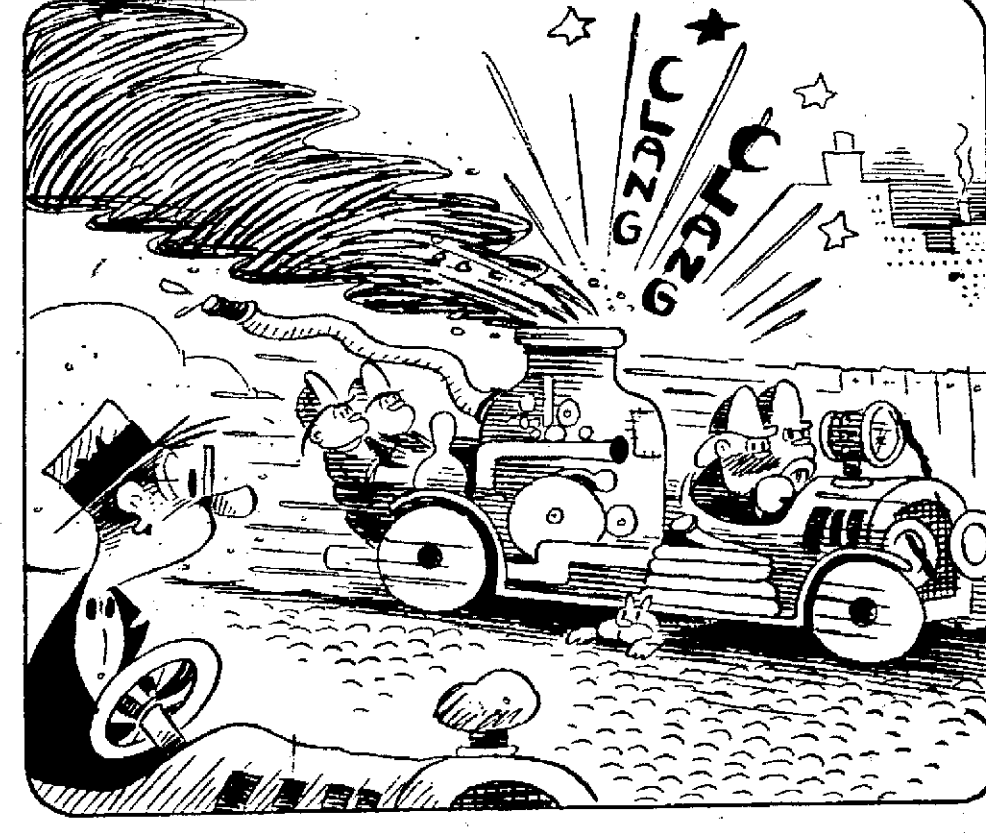
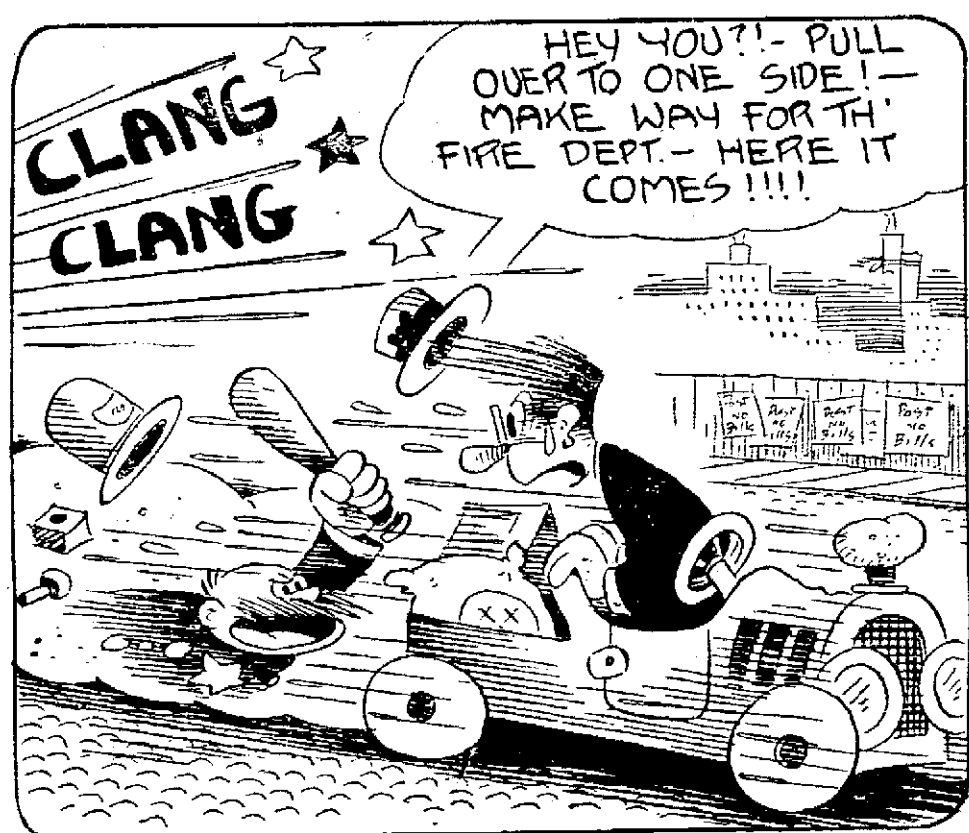
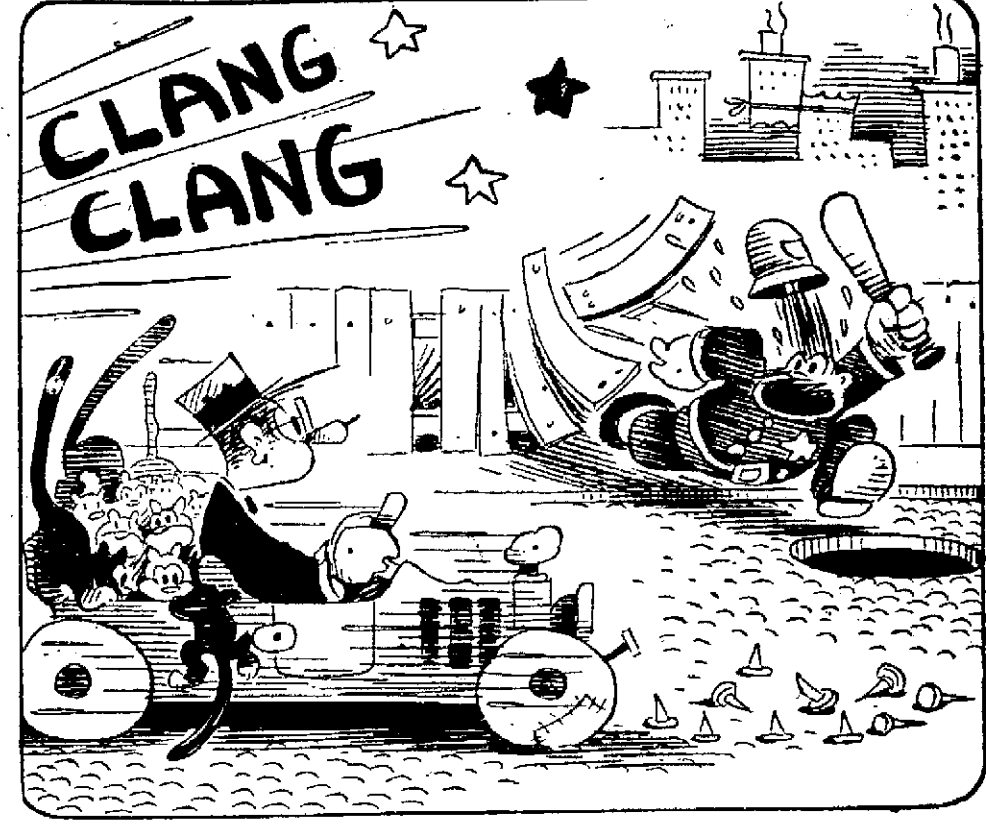
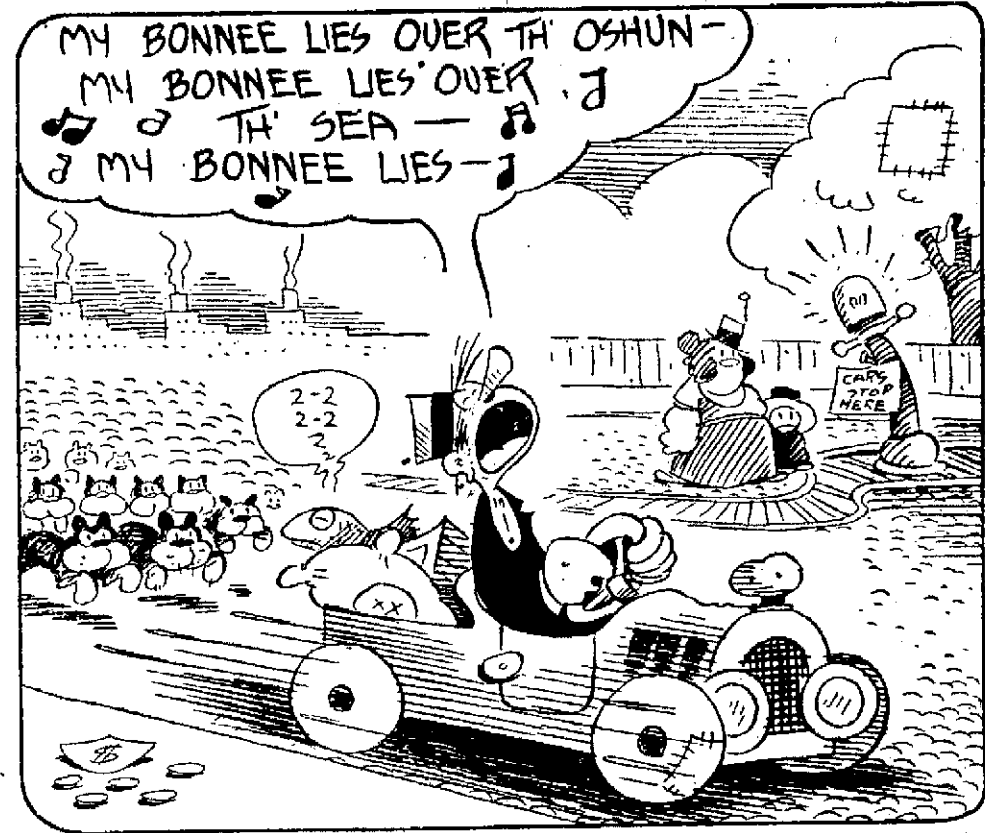


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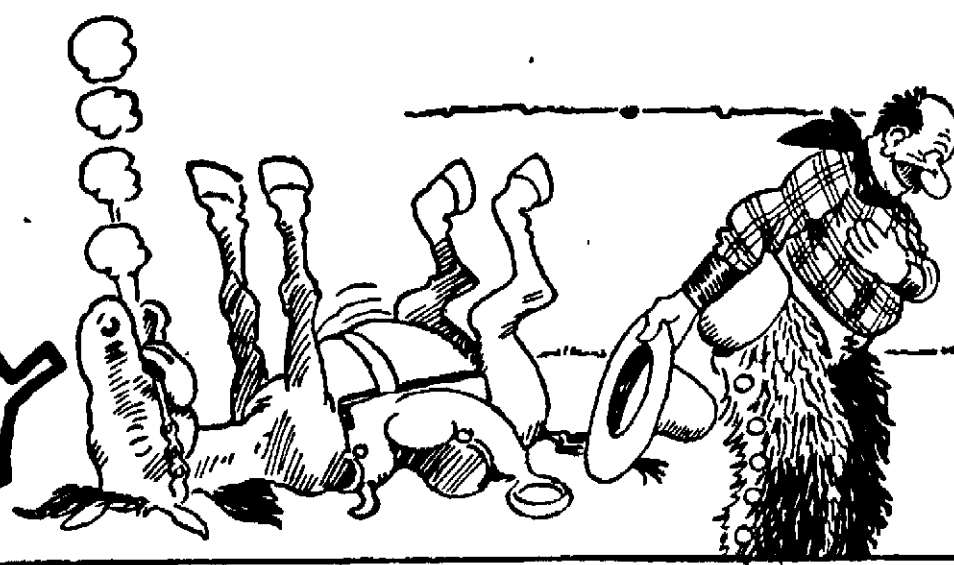
HE SAYS HE'S A FIRE-MAN
AND WANTS TO INSPECT TH' STORE -
HOW DO YOU KNOW HE'S
A FIRE-MAN?

IT SAYS
SO RIGHT
ON HIS
SUSPENDERS

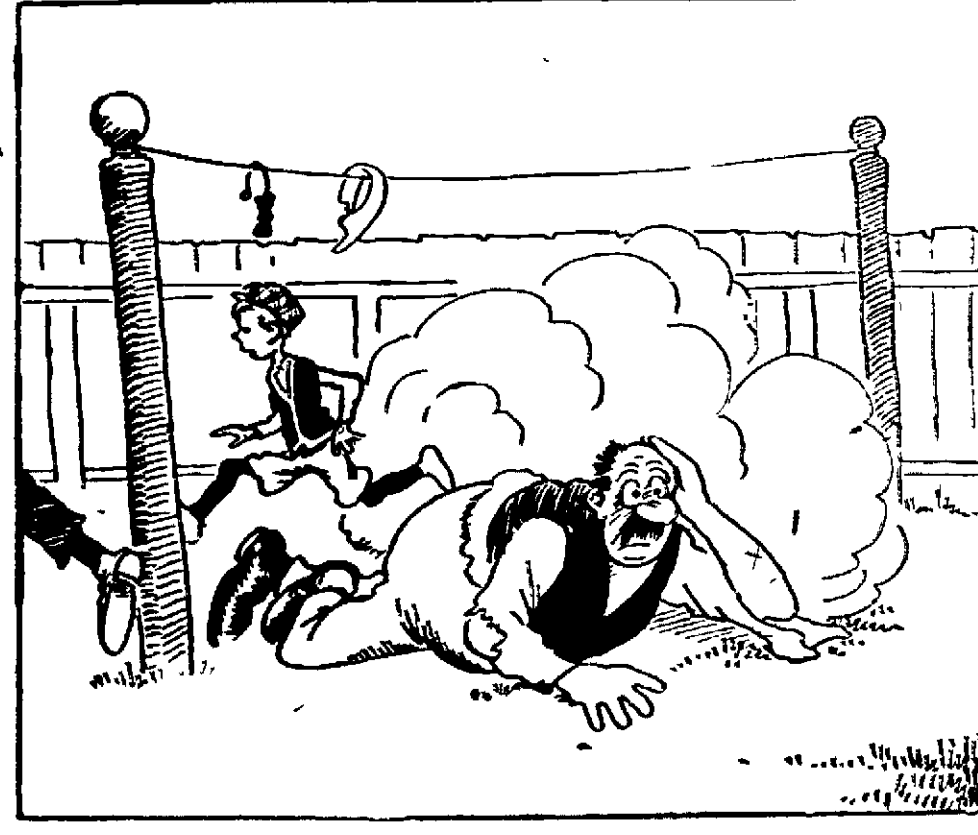
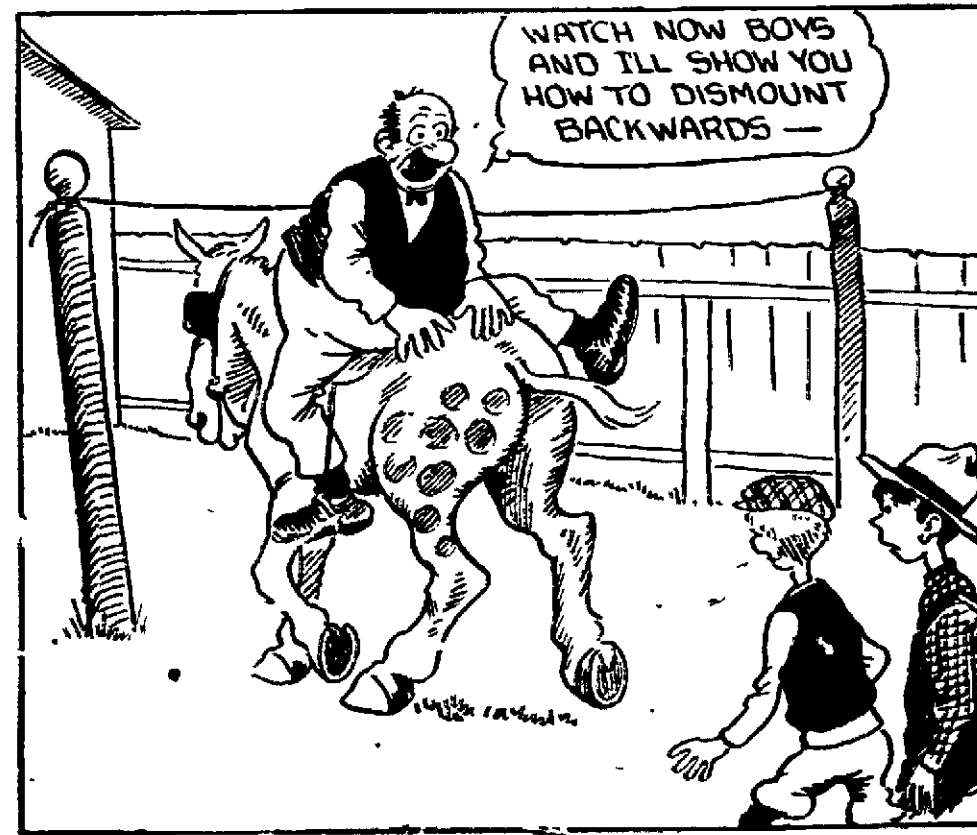
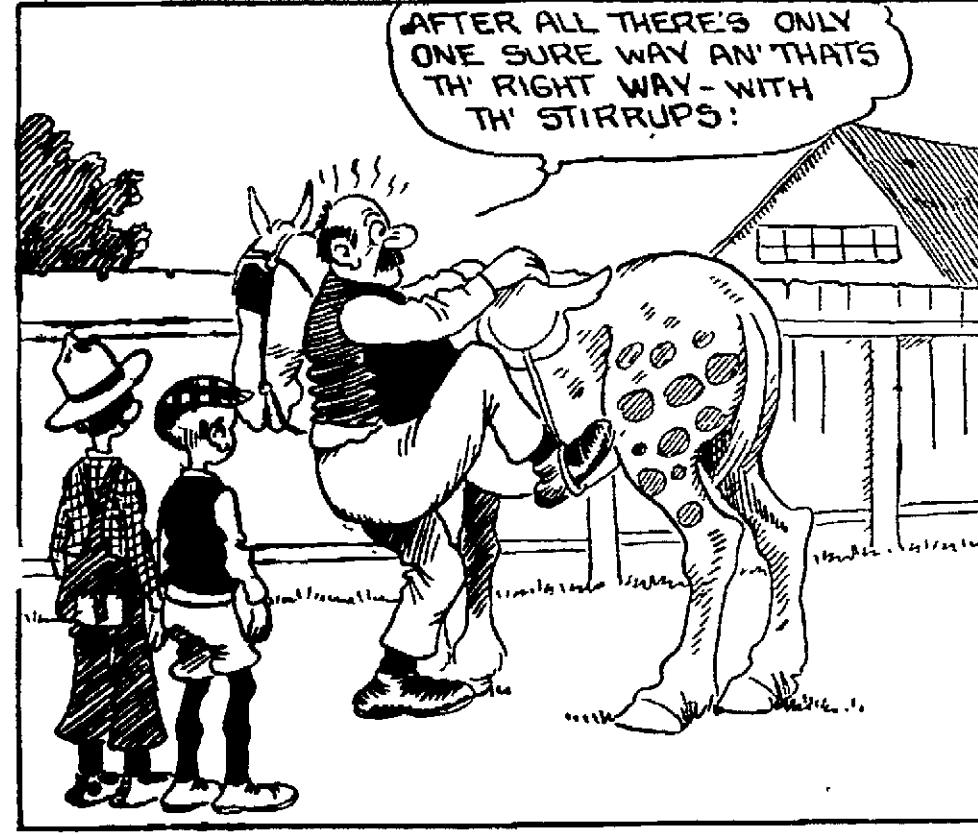
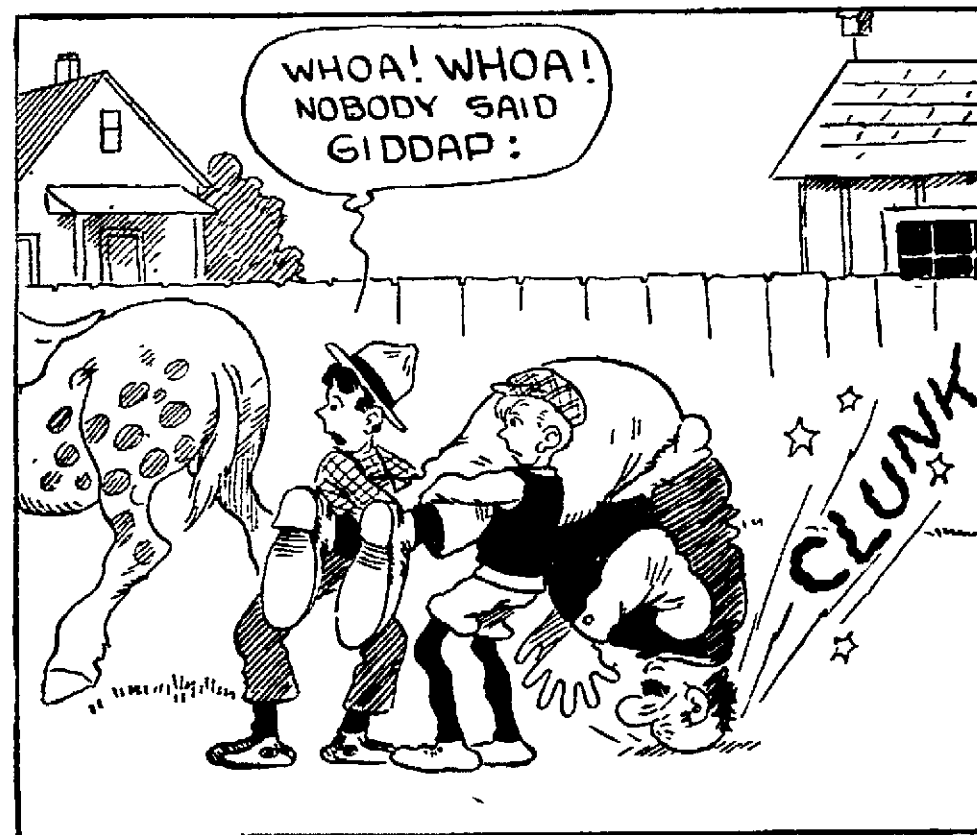
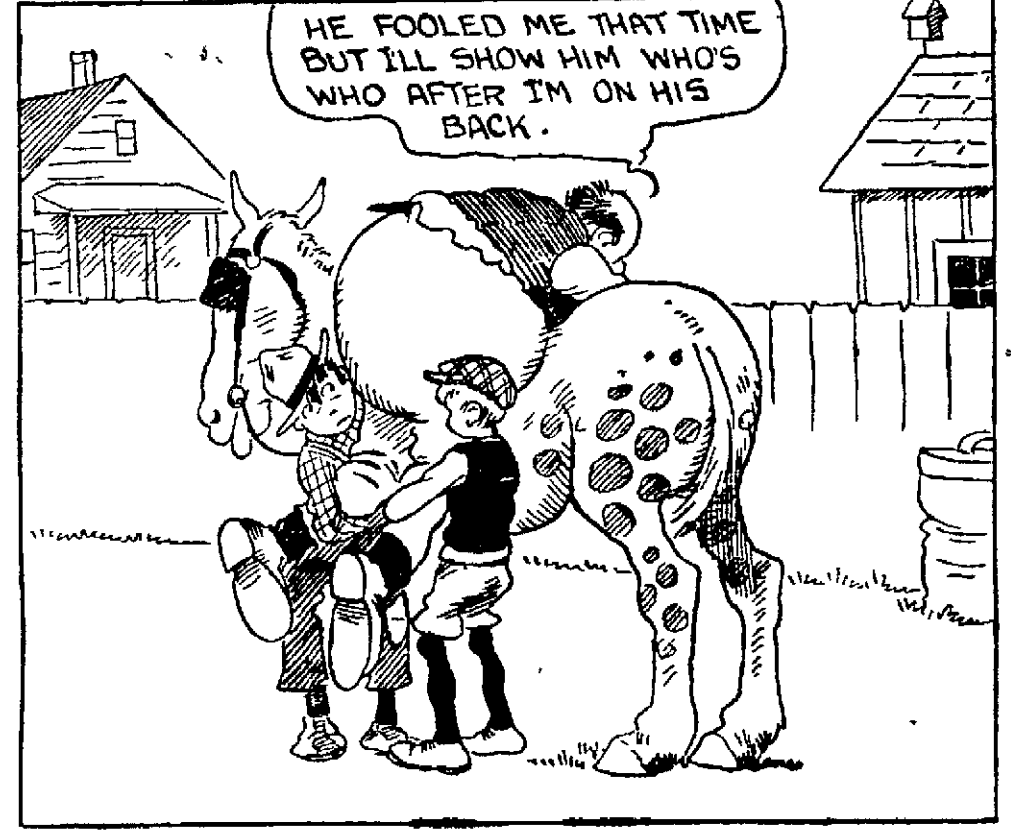
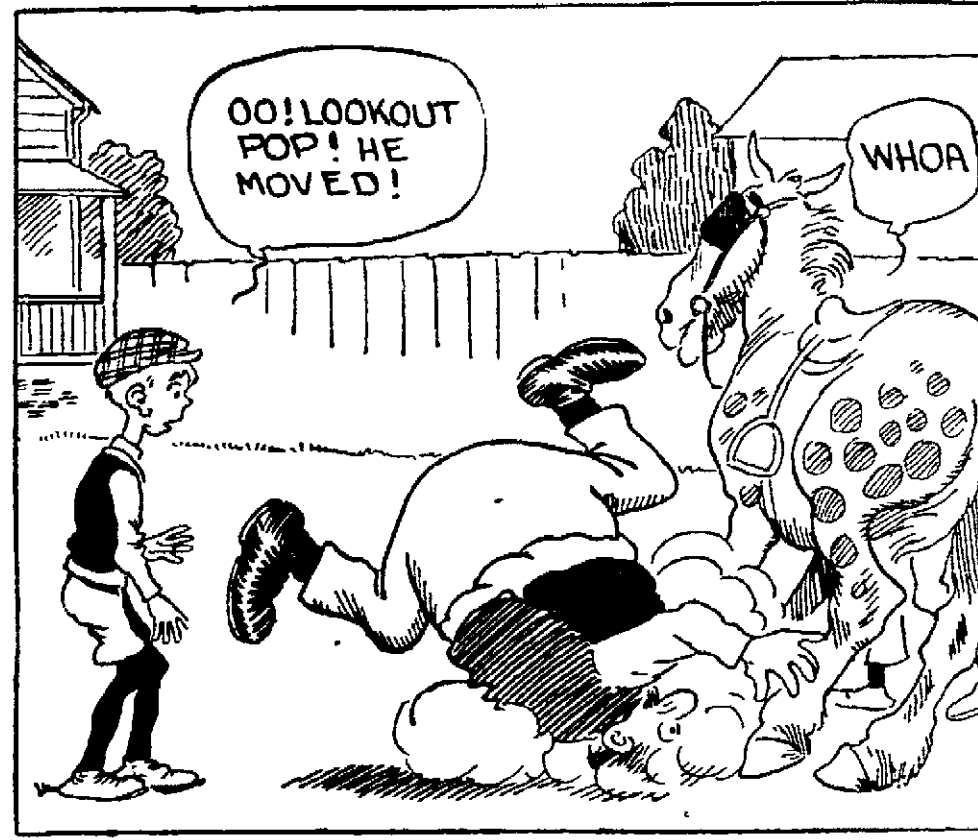
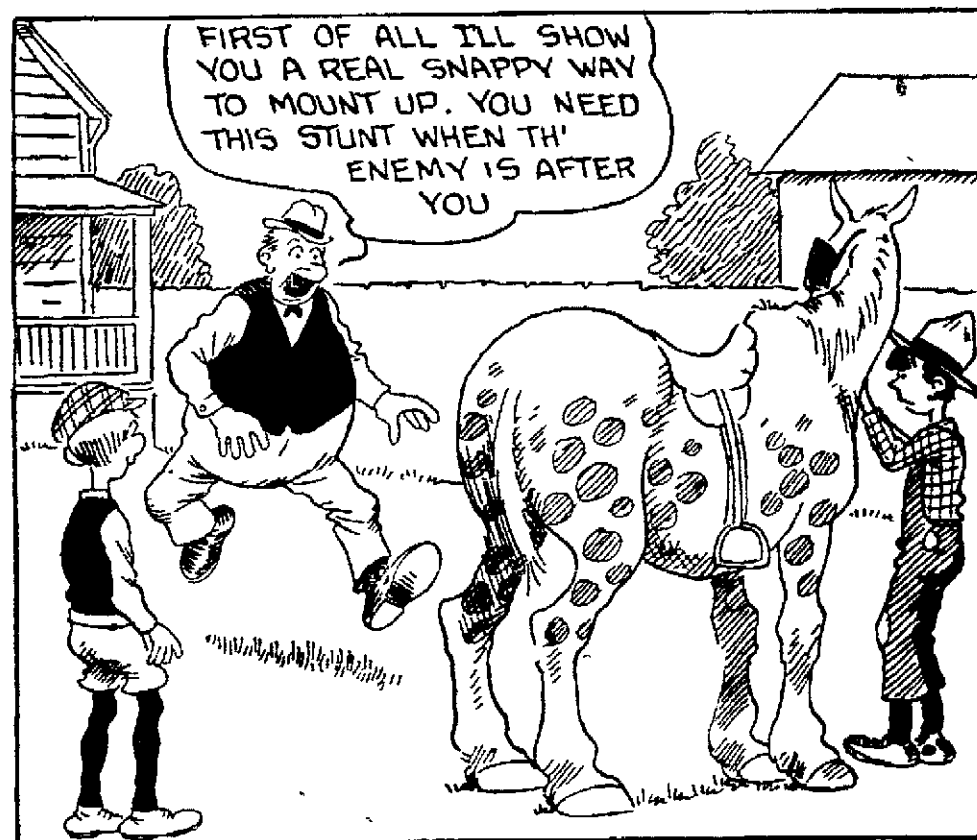
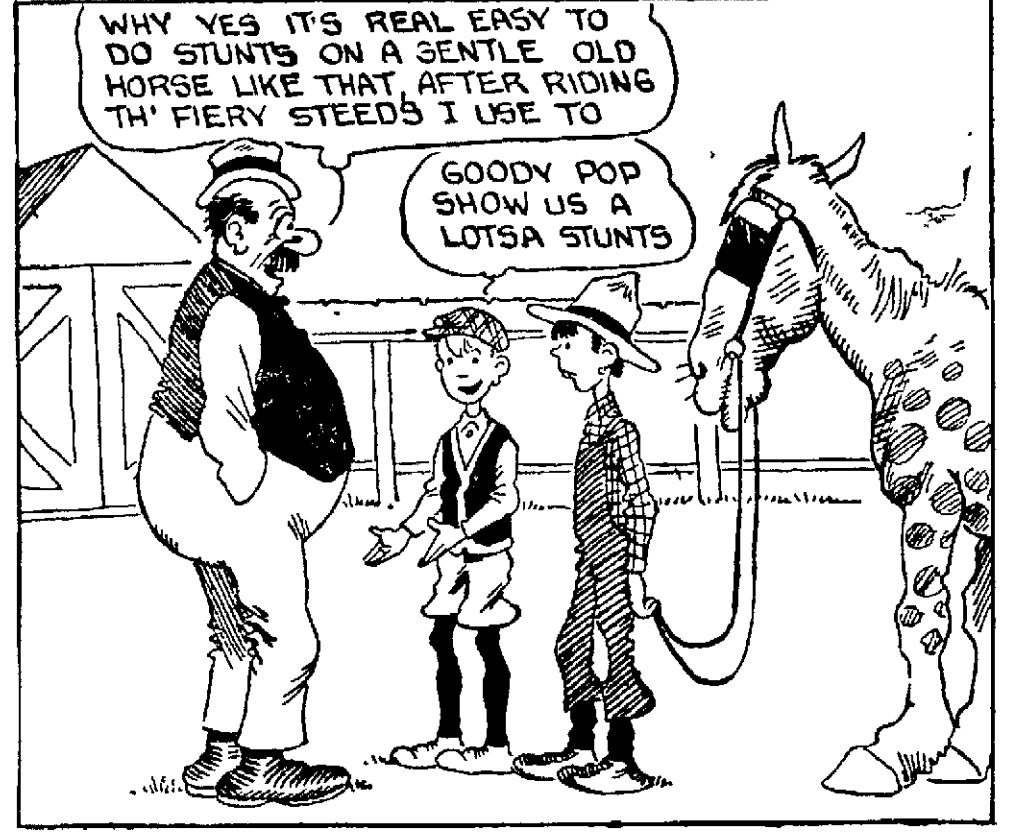
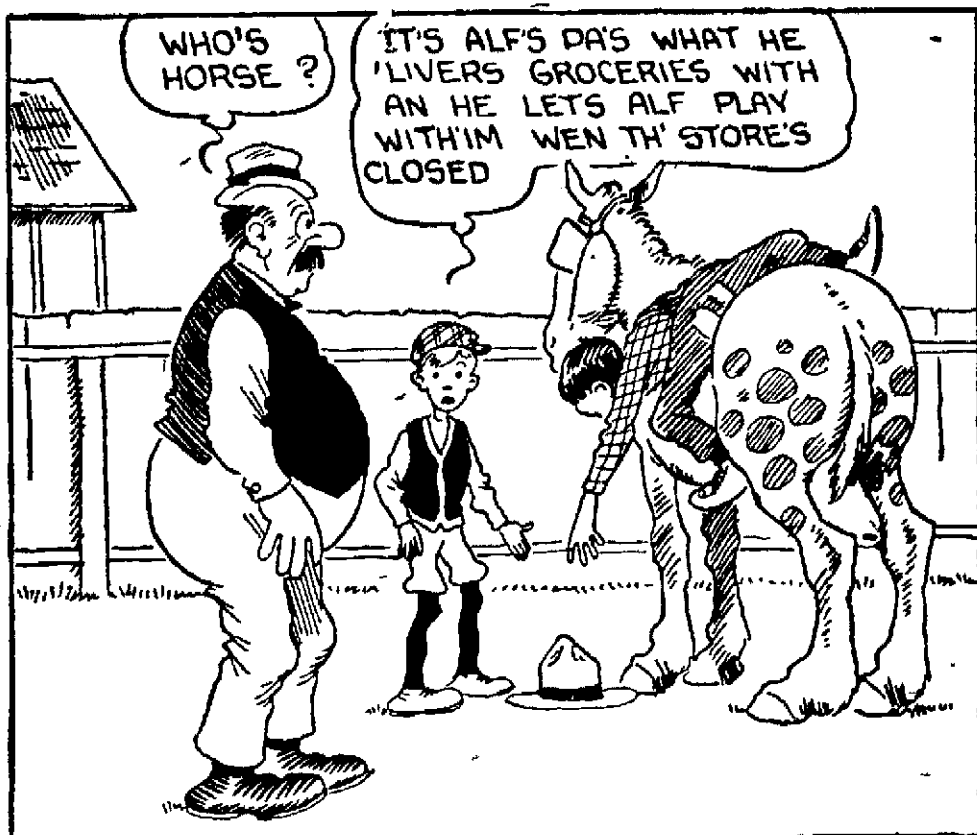


OUT OUR WAY

J.R. Williams



RODEO



SAT-SMAN SAM
By Sam

WHEN I SAY, SAM - WE CAN'T HANDLE THESE FOREIGN ORDERS ALONE ANY LONGER - WE'LL HAVE TO HIRE AN EXPORTER TO HELP OUT

OUT IN THE PAPER FOR ONE

WHY YES - COULDN'T HE COME HIMSELF?

DID YOU ALL ADVISE FOAM A EXPORTER?

WHY - I'VE HIM

OUT THE COMEDY - WE ADVISED FOR AN EXPORTER - NOT A JUNKY

BUT I'VE A EXPORTER

OH - NO - IS?

YASSAH - I USED TO BE THE BEST PORTER WHAT IS IT WHAT THEY HAD AT DE HOTEL

PRECKLES AND FRIENDS By Blythe

TELL PRECKLES TO COME OUT AN' PLAY, TAG - WHAT'S HE DOIN' ANYWAY?

OH, HE CAN'T COME OUT RIGHT NOW - T' DAYS SUNDAY AN' HE'S STUDYIN' HIS SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON FOR T'MORROW

WHAT'S TH' SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON FOR T'MORROW ABOUT, PRECKLES? IS IT ABOUT TH' WHALE?

NO - WE HAD THAT A COUPA SUNDAYS AGO - FOR T'MORROW IT'S ABOUT CAIN AN' ABEL

CAIN AN' ABEL??

YEAH - GEE! DON'T YOU EVER HEAR TH' STORY OF CAIN AN' ABEL?

OF COURSE I AIN'T - MY MOM SAYS IT'S BAD MANNERS TO PRY INTO OTHER PEOPLES BIZNESS!!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE By Ahern

SAY MAJOR - I JUST MET YOUR WIFE COMING HOME FROM TH' MARKET, AN' SHE ASKED FOR TH' LOAN OF MY LAWN MOWER - SAID SHE HAD YOU BOOKED TO TRIM TH' LAWN THIS AFTER-NOON, BUT YOUR MOWER IS BROKE - I'LL BE DONE HERE IN FIVE MINUTES, AN' YOU CAN TAKE IT ALONG!

BY JOVE HARRIS, - THAT IS MIGHTY KIND OF YOU, - BUT - AN ER - MRS. HOOPLE SHOULD KNOW BETTER THAN TO IMPOSE UPON OUR KINDLY NEIGHBORS BY BORROWING. I THANK YOU FOR YOUR AFFABILITY, BUT REALLY, I WOULD NOT THINK OF BORROWING YOUR MOWER! - I, AH - WILL GO HOME AND REPAIR OURS - PLEASE DO NOT MENTION THIS MATTER TO MRS. HOOPLE.

GASOLINE ALLY

SKEEX RUN!

RUN FASTER

NOPE, SKEEX AIN'T LOSED AN OUNCE.

JES LIKE HIS UNCA WALT, SKEEX HAS BEEN A WATCHIN'!

LIFE'S LITTLE JOES - NUM BER 500,824

CLING-A-LING-A-LING

DO YOU WISH YOUR LUNCH IN BED SIR?

NO, I'LL SLEEP TILL TUESDAY

RUTHERFORD SMITH MADE A MILLION OR MORE, FOR HE ROSE EVERY DAY IN THE MORNING AT FOUR.

WHILE HIS SON WAS THE LAZIEST KIND OF A PUP, WHO SAID, "DAD MAKES THE DOUGH - I DON'T HAVE TO GET UP!"

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NIGHT WATCHMAN

I'M NOT A BURGLAR - I'M JUST GOING TO WORK

WHILE HIS SON GOT UP EARLY AND MADE BUSINESS HUM, FOR HE SAID "I MUST WORK 'CAUSE MY FATHER'S A BOH!"

POLLY AND HER PALS

TOUGH LUCK, SISTER

SHUK! AND ALL SOCIETY'S ON THE LAKE TONIGHT!

WOT'S POLLY SORE AT, NOW?

THE PESKY MOON!

WHADDY MEAN, 'PESKY MOON'? IT'S A GLORIOUS MOON! DENIED IF IT AINT AS BRIGHT AS DAY!

THAT'S JUST IT, IDIOT!

THE FOLK CHILD'S CAME AWAY WITHOUT HER POWDERBOX

The Unaccommodating Moon

BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG

Today
3:30 P.M.
INTERNATIONAL RACE
THE FAMOUS RUSSIAN "TROTSKI" VS. "SPARK PLUG" PRIDE OF THE U.S.A.
PURSE \$20,000

A FINE PICKLE I'M IN - I'VE LOST MY TICKET AND THOSE COPS WON'T LET ME THROUGH THE GATE - I'LL HURDLE DOWN TO KELLY'S POOL ROOM AND GET THE PLAY OVER THE TICKET - IF MY SPARKY LOSES TODAY I'M SUNK!!

3:30 NOW - THE HORSES ARE AT THE POST - BETTING - THEY'RE OFF - SPARK PLUG LEADS TROTSKI BY TWO LENGTHS - NOW THEY'RE NECK AN' NECK

YELL LOUDER, KEL - WE CAN'T HEAR

SPARK PLUG WINS!

CHEESE IT! THE COPS!!!

WHEE WHEE

WATCH THE SIDE DOOR, CLANK! DON'T LET 'EM GET AWAY!

OSKY WOW WOW I SHOULD WORRY!

Jail Means Nothing To Barney Now

OUT OUR WAY By Williams

ROMANCE AND TRAGEDY

WORKIN' CLOES AND DRESSED UP

LOOKS AS IF SKEEZIX WOULD ENTER THE RACE, TOO By King

SKEEX RUN!

RUN FASTER

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By Rube Goldberg

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Your Wants - All of Them - Supplied Here

WANT AD PAGE

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Business OPPORTUNITY

Notice: Private room for ladies and children. Hair Bobbing, Shingle and Shampoo a specialty. Latest science. Ullrich's Beauty Shop, Leeland Hotel Annex Barber Shop. 25b*

HELP WANTED—MALE

Salesman Wanted To Sell Automobiles. Address Box 181, Danville, Va. 21b*

POSITIONS WANTED

Young man with good education desires position offering good future as a reward of service. Address care Register. 22b*

WANTED

Roomers Wanted: Apply to 431 Shelton street. 21b*

Wanted: Boy To Sell Papers On platform. Apply Mr. Jones, The Union News Co., Southern Station. 21b*

Wanted: Five Shares Dan River Cotton Mill Common Stock. Quote price. P. O. Box 61, Danville, Va. 22b*

Wanted: Two Lady Boarders Or couple. Price reasonable. Apply 224 Bough St. 21b*

Wanted: To Hire Five Dump Trucks. Cheatwood and Driscoll Co., Leakesville, N. C. 20b*

Wanted: To list some good values in five and six room houses. Call Grayley Bros., Phone 124. 23b*

Wanted: A Few More Satisfied Customers for our Car Wash Laundry. Satisfaction guaranteed. Danville Vulcanizing Co. Phone 138. 23b*

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For Sale—Good lot 70x195 feet on upper Colquhoun street. Call Grayley Bros., Phone 124. 23b*

For Sale—Five room house on West Paxton street. Call Grayley Bros., Phone 124. 23b*

For Sale—New six room house, Arcola heat, hard wood floors. Good lot in very desirable location. Price right. Easy terms. Address Box 483. 23b*

FOR SALE

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North Main St. Residence, perfect repair, large lot. Patton, Temple & Williamson, Agents. 23b*

For Sale: A Desirable Building Lot on Girard St., one block from North Main. Call 1294-J or 2335-J. 21b*

Grapes For Sale: Phone 393-J. 21b*

For Sale: Aug. 26th. At City Pump House, scrap lumber and wood. Also good second-hand lumber at half price. One-horse load \$1.00. Two-horse load \$1.50. 23b*

For Sale: Household Furniture, including kitchen furniture, two bedrooms, parlor suite. Phone 23b*

For Sale—Antique suite consisting of wardrobe, bureau, center table, washstand, bed and book case. A beauty. Phone 442. 23b*

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We Buy, Sell and Exchange Furniture. Come to us for real bargains. Wyatt Furniture Store, Phone 1890. 204 Craighead St. 23b*

Call 984-V for Highest Cash Prices paid for second hand furniture and household goods. Danville Auction House, 216 Craighead St. 23b*

See Us Before You Build. Anderson-Hunter Construction Co., Rooms 23 & 24 Arcade Bldg. 5b-1st-1st-1st

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For Sale: Three New Five-Room and bath Bungalows on East Stokes St. Terms: \$750.00 cash, balance like rent. The houses are honestly built and we recommend them as good values. Call Grayley Brothers, Phone 124. 15b*

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FORMER NEWSPAPER MAN

BRISTOL, Va., Tenn., Aug. 22.—Lieut. John A. Collins, flying an army airplane from Langley Field, arrived in Danville, Va., this afternoon on his way to Bristol, according to messages received here tonight from the aviator. Lieut. Collins expects to complete his journey tomorrow. He resigned as a member of the news staff of a local newspaper about three weeks ago to re-enter the flying service. He had formerly been a flying officer at Kelly Field in Texas and at one time carried aerial mail between Chicago and New York City.

A "DRY" CAMPAIGN IN GERMANY

BERLIN, Aug. 24.—The German is threatened with the loss of his beer—but not in the near future. Inspired by the eloquence of a lady Prohibitionist who had visited America, a meeting of the Berlin Welfare Workers has decided to form a committee to initiate a campaign to make Germany dry.

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LORD ACRES BID FAIR TO YIELD BOUNTIFUL CROP

500 Acres Planted For Lord Have No Pests While Adjoining Lands Fail

By MILLARD FERGUSON
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ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 23.—Lord's acres are flourishing in a way that is regarded by some as a miracle. They seem to get more of their share of sunshine and of rain than plants across the fence in neighboring fields.

So bountiful have been the crops on these acres, planted by the members of 100 country churches in Georgia, that the produce from them promises to yield at least \$20,000. These crops will be sold by church committees, and the money devoted to church work, such as payment of the pastor's salary.

These Lord's acres plan to help finance the country churches was begun a year ago by the Bluffton Baptist church, at Arlington, Ga., and now promises to spread throughout the country. Georgia Baptist headquarters in Atlanta have printed a few years there will be Lord's acres planted in every state in the union.

The Rev. H. M. Melton, pastor of the Bluffton Baptist church and originator of the plan, drew up an agreement last year that seven of his members signed. The agreement reads as follows:

"We, the undersigned farmer members hereby agree to plant, cultivate, and harvest one acre from our farm, said acre to be known as the Lord's acre. We agree to turn the proceeds of said acre to a committee appointed by the church. They are to dispose of same and distribute the funds derived from it in such way as we may instruct."

The agreement was signed by J. B. Goodman, Daniel King, W. L. G. A. M. Hubbard, J. E. Shaw, W. G. G. Rich, and J. A. Mansfield.

The boll weevil was worse than year than it ever has been in Georgia. Fields near Arlington were swept clean. Many crops were complete failures. But the acres devoted to the Lord seemed protected by the hand of providence.

People from all over the state visited these farms and they noticed two things: First, the Lord's acre was the best acre on each farm, though these particular plots of land were no more fertile than adjoining acres and received no better cultivation, in fact, in Danville King's case the Lord's acre was neglected as far as measures against the boll weevil were concerned. He "left" the weevil to the Lord. Second, the crops generally on the farms of the seven signers of the agreement were better than their neighbors' crops.

The blief spread about that a miracle had been accomplished, that the Lord rewarded the farmers, rewarded the farmers who had planted an acre in his name. Newspapers printed stories about the Lord's acres and in a short while, Dr. Melton, the pastor, then up at Arlington, the postmaster, the mayor, the bank—all were receiving letters inquiring if it really were true that the Lord's acres had borne with a fruitfulness that suggested a miracle.

Dr. Melton at first tried to answer all the letters, then they became so numerous that he had a form printed and mailed it in reply.

Baptist headquarters in Atlanta investigated the Lord's acre plan, and declared it was one of the finest methods ever devised for solving the financial problems of the country churches. Dr. Arch Gree, one of the leaders of the Baptist church in Georgia, prepared a tract explaining the plan, and this tract was used by field workers in urging the rural churches to give the method a trial.

This year, to the astonishment of Baptist headquarters, one hundred churches in Georgia alone have taken up the plan and through their members have planted an average of five acres apiece.

Near Arlington the finest stalk of cotton recently was taken from a Lord's acre, and just across the fence in an adjoining field, the finest stalk was selected from an acre planted by a man who had not devoted any of his crop to the Lord. The land was the same, the cultivation had been the same, and yet the stalk from the Lord's acre contained 51 bolls, while that from the nearby acre contained only 21 bolls. This same difference applied generally to the crops on the two acres.

EVERETT TRUE

By CONDO

MR. TRUE, MY NAME IS SMYTHE. I HAVE SOME VERY GOOD FRIENDS WHO HAVE SPOKEN OF YOU QUITE OFTEN, AND I MADE UP MY MIND TO INTRODUCE MYSELF AND GET ACQUAINTED.

OH, YES. I SUPPOSE YOU RESIDE HERE.

YES, I'VE BEEN HERE SOME LITTLE TIME. HOW ABOUT SOME LIFE INSURANCE, MR. TRUE?

FOR ME, OR FOR YOURSELF?

LOTS OF CLASS TO LOTT

GEORGE LOTT

One of the most promising young tennis players in the land is George Lott of Chicago, who has just won the national junior tennis championship for the second straight time. Lott is the coming Bill Tilden of America, according to competent experts, and many regard him as the equal even now of some of the top ranking seniors of the game.

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So it lines up with these three men: Jones, the staidest and most consistent; Guilford the longest driver and Sweetser the most dangerous match player.

And another point is that no one of the men has really admitted weakness. Generally the big swifter is weak on the short game or in putting, but Guilford has been showing phenomenal success in these departments this season. The brilliant match player, Sweetser, for example, is too often apt to be mediocre for a day and then play mediocre golf. The steady, consistent scorer, Jones, has come times betrayed evidence of lacking the ability to rise to unusual heights when forced, none the less he showed in the open a year ago exceptional ability to give the stroke when needed.

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TICKER TALK

Thomson & McKinnon

Cuba raws sell at 3 13-16. Stocks gasoline in California at end of July 261,419,000 gallons decline 15,540,000 for month.

Crude oil runs to stills in July average 395,388 barrels against 564,178 daily.

Bradstreet reports farm products showing strength after touching new high while wholesale and jobbing trade shows more life with buying cautious.

Employment at industrial centres picking up. Duns and trend of major industries is toward recovery. Improved agricultural situation and favorable outcome of London add to constructive force and improved sentiment generally.

Dun reports 316 failures against 273 last week, 282 in corresponding week 1933.

Certainated products six months net \$503,607 against \$663,425 corresponding period 1933.

Third Ave Ry system asks board of estimate to take no action on pending business franchise application till it has submitted its plan now being drawn up.

Average price twenty industrials 103.5 off .94.

Twenty rails 90.10 off .83; forty bonds 90.45 off .23.

Government report on cotton will be issued at noon.

Cleaning things and dyeing things saves a lot of buying things.

Have your summer suits cleaned and pressed at Arnstein's for 75 cents.

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NEW YORK STOCK

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Uneven price movements characterized today's stock market, which opened heavy, developed several points of acute weakness and then rallied, giving closing quotations an irregular price. A growing speculative belief that the recent advance had left the market in a top heavy condition and that trade improvement had been over discounted inspired much of the selling, which was especially aggressive in some of the motor, metal and equipment stocks. St. Paul issues stiffened on reports that the directors of the road would meet here next week to discuss the refunding of the large bond issues maturing next year, large bond issues maturing 6 3-4 points and good buying was noted in the rubber and public utility issues. Extensive covering was in evidence in the last hour. The closing was irregular. Sales approximated 450,000 shares.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Stock prices continued to yield to selling at the opening of today's market, but the initial losses, as a rule were limited to fractions. Rails, especially the low priced carriers were again in rather free supply. American Can, Baldwin and several other popular industrials yielded fractionally and National lead and Republic steel each dropped 1-14. St. Paul preferred moved against the current trend, climbing a point.

NEW YORK COTTON

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The cotton market opened today at unchanged prices and soon sold about 10 to 12 points net lower under liquidation and selling promoted by reports of light showers in the south-west.

October eased off to 25.63 and December to 25.29 but the market was narrow with most of the business attributed to further evening up for over the government crop report.

Cotton futures opened barely steady.

October 25.70
December 25.26
January 25.35
March 25.58
May 25.75

STOCK REPORT

Thomson & McKinnon

Sale to Close.

Atchafalpa	104 1/2
Allied Chemical & Dyestuffs	7 1/2
American Locomotive	74 1/2
Am. Tobacco	152 1/2
Am. Tobacco B	151 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	127 1/2
American Can	133 1/2
American Beet Sugar	75
American Sugar	45 1/2
Amer. H. & L. pfd.	63
Baldwin Locomotive	122 1/2
Bethlehem Steel "B"	44 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	21 1/2
California Petroleum	47
Chandler Motors	27 1/2
Cosden & Co.	39 1/2
Columbia Gas	34 1/2
Coro Products	103 1/2
Cast Iron Pipe	57 1/2
Continental Can	57 1/2
Cuban American Sugar	46 1/2
Cerro de Pasco	46 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar, com.	13 1/2
do pfd.	63 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	42 1/2
Consolidated Textile	4 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	26 1/2
do pfd.	61 1/2
Chicago & N. W.	77
Coca Cola	29
Erie, com.	39 1/2
Erie, first pfd.	83 1/2
Famous Players-Lasky	15 1/2
General Motors	65 1/2
General Asphalt	28 1/2
Great Northern, pfd.	28 1/2
Hudson Motors	13 1/2
Hupp Motors	27
Inspiration Copper	53 1/2
International Paper	46 1/2
Int. Mer. Marine, pfd.	16 1/2
Kennecott Copper	19
Kelly-Springfield Tire	52 1/2
Missouri Pacific, com.	32
do pfd.	30 1/2
Marland Oil	24
Mont. Ward & Co.	124
Miami Copper	64 1/2
Middle States Oil	107 1/2
Norfolk & Western	50
Northern Pacific	8 1/2
New York Central	45
N. Y. Air Brake "A"	56 1/2
Overland	33 1/2
Pennsylvania	59
Pan-American "A"	28
Phillips Petro.	47
Pere Marquette	61 1/2
Producers & Refra.	17 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel	124
Reading	95 1/2
Ray Consolidated	38 1/2
Sinclair Oil & Refining	57 1/2
Southern Pacific	68
Studebaker Corporation	28
S. O. of Calif.	63 1/2
Southern Railway, com.	63 1/2
Seaboard Air Line, pfd.	61 1/2
Tobacco Products	5
Texas Co.	36 1/2
Transcontinental Oil	143 1/2
Texas & Pacific	79 1/2
Union Pacific	108
United States Steel	35 1/2
Washington pfd. "A"	61
Union Carbide	475,000.

Cotton Crop Forecast Made

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—A cotton crop of 12,956,000 equivalent 500 pound bales was forecast today by the department of agriculture.

Cotton of this year's crop gained prior to August 16 amounted to 148,645 running bales, counting round as half bales, the census bureau announced in the joint report with the department of agriculture.

The forecast was based on the condition of the crop August 16 which was 64.9 per cent of a normal. A forecast 12,351,000 bales was issued August 8 on the condition of the crop as of August 1 which was 67.4 per cent of a normal, indicating an acre yield of 146.3 pounds. Last year's crop was 10,128,478 bales and the condition of the crop on August 25 was 54.1 per cent.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

(By The Associated Press)

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 23.—The cotton market opened quiet today with little disposition to trade in advance of the bureau report due at 10 o'clock which was after the markets closed. First trades showed losses of 11 to 17 points and prices eased off a little more after the call, with October at 24.90, December 24.88 and January 25.00 or 12 to 17 points lower.

The market then became dull, fluctuating aimlessly within a few points. The average guess of 64 members of the New Orleans exchange on the condition was 64.9.

Cotton futures opened steady. The market ruled dull during the greater part of the day, showing fluctuating within a few points but as the trading drew toward the close a fair volume of selling developed on an estimate of 13,800,000 bales by a prominent New York operator.

October eased off to 24.75 and December to 24.84 or 25 to 31 points below the previous close. The feeling at the close was rather bearish in anticipation of a large bureau forecast. The selling around the close caused a spurt of activity.

October 24.90
December 24.88
January 25.00
March 25.29
May 25.18

MORNING STOCK LETTER

(Thomson & McKinnon)

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—We had a very shaky stock market today. I don't think weakness should continue.

There are two reasons for a declining market, the anticipation of a slump in business, the other too many pyramids in the market, or what we usually term a poor technical condition.

The first does not exist because there is going to be no change for the worse in business. It is changing for the better. It is just getting started. The second reason may or may not prevail. Only those who have the pyramids know it. As all events a break on technical grounds is temporary, the only question is the extent of the break and no human can fix the limit.

However the individual who is pursuing a constructive course and not overtrading will be in position always to take advantage of these breaks to buy some stocks.

BAR SILVER

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Bar silver 54 1-2; Mexican dollars 52 3-8.

BUTTER

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Butter steady, eggs firm, cheese weak.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Butter unchanged. Eggs unchanged.

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Movie Star's Job Cinch?

By JACK JUNGMEYER

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 23.—Every girl knows, through much publicity on the subject, how difficult it is to get into motion pictures. But every girl probably presumes that, once she has been accepted, it comes a time when the acclaimed actress is secure, "sits pretty," has her own way, is mistress of her professional fate.

For public consumption, and to "save face" for celebrated players, this is "concocted" by producers who pay the salaries.

Actually, with exception of not more than half a dozen famous actors, the star is never more than a high priced employee, subject to as many orders as the rear-rank private of an army.

"Being an actress," says Alice Terry, beautiful wife of Rex Ingram, the director, and a star in her own right, "is not much different from being a stenographer, milliner or bookkeeper."

"The only 'independence' she has is what she claims in a magazine or newspaper interview."

Because of her station, Alice Terry should have special privileges in movies, if anyone has them. She should claim them now when for the first time in years she is playing in a picture not produced by her husband—"The Great Divide," being made by Reginald Barker for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

But, witness her attitude toward her work and its exactions in these fragments of an interview, spoken without complaint merely a brief recitative of the film fact:

"In 'The Great Divide' I am supposed to be a first class housewife. That entailed riding lessons and rigorous practice. Many mornings I've been in the saddle long before most working women are out of bed."

"I always arise at 6:30 for the early studio call, even though I work the night before may have lasted until near midnight."

"A recent day's stint consisted of starting a 150-mile drive into the desert at 5:30 in the morning, 'feeding' the camera from 3 to 6:30, and return to Hollywood by 2:30 next morning. I had a cold, too."

"Social appointments are very precarious. I had a dinner engagement for 7:30. We worked until 8:30, and I had to insist my manager to telephone my apologies. If I had a maid she would have done this. But I have none. Neither have I a limousine nor a chauffeur."

"I didn't complain to Mr. Barker about working late. If I had I probably would have been my last day in 'The Great Divide.'"

Reginald Barker is one of the most considerate directors.

"The wise actress grins and bears what comes her way. She fits herself as cheerfully as possible into a routine over which she has no control."

"She gets more money than most working women, nominally, but actually."

usually this means very little because at best she can remain in the high salary class only a few years. After one picture in which she has failed to please the public she may find difficulty in securing work.

"Except in isolated cases, the actress buys all her gowns, and she must have new ones for every production—which means heavy expenditure."



ALICE TERRY

Players under contract are paid every week, but the free lance is faring better than average if she works eight months out of the year. Business women do not have many of these worries.

"Probably I could afford more luxuries than I indulge. But, like the majority of players of today, I'm content to wait. If something happens to me within the next year—if I should get too fat or too thin—I would not be in as bad a way as if I had always lived beyond my means."

"Movie queens? They are employees, obeying orders like any other working girls."

Deny Pro-German Sentiment Exists In Valley Of Va.

(By The Associated Press)

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 22.—Flat denial of reports that the Virginia war commission has been compiling data on alleged pro-German sentiment in the Valley of Virginia during the world war was made in a statement issued here today by Arthur Kyle Davis, chairman of the body.

The following statements will clear up any misunderstanding about the Virginia war commission's investigation of war as recently shown in newspapers here:

"(1) There seems to have been some confusion of the post-war activities of the commission, of which I am chairman, with the activities during the war of the state council of defense, of which Col. C. R. Kelley was secretary. This confusion is probably due to the fact that Colonel Kelley is now secretary of the historical commission."

"(2) No attempt has been made or shall be made by the commission to prove any section of the state disloyal. Our procedure has been one of investigation only. We have been gathering historical matter and no statement by us is unfounded."

"(3) As a matter of fact, the recent investigation of editorial sentiment in the state for a crucial year of the war period had failed to disclose a single disloyal editorial utterance. This fact should set finally at rest all fears of any section of the state as to reports of disloyalty, and must show the futility of recent agitation of the subject by the press."

"(4) It is the purpose of the commission to submit to each editor for comment or criticism before publication the periodical contents of his editorial utterances. Thus proper protest may be made, if needed, directly to the commission, and any errors may be corrected."

POULTRY

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—Live poultry steady; no freight quotations. Broilers by express 29 a 31; fowls by express 26 a 28. Dressed poultry irregular and unchanged.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Poultry alive lower. Fowls 17 a 22; springs 26; chickens 15.

DO YOU KNOW BASEBALL?

QUESTIONS

1. Player fails to take his turn at bat during an inning in which eight runs were made and 12 men went to bat. The mistake is not discovered until the next inning. What can be done about it?—D. B.

2. Can the catcher block off the runner at the plate before the ball has arrived and continue to keep him away from the plate until he gains possession of the ball and touches him out?—F. N. M.

3. Has the base runner the right to advance on a foul fly ball that is caught?—G. B.

4. Six innings of a game have been completed when the umpire forfeits the game to the visitors because the home team refuses to take the field after a certain decision. What is done with the records of this game?—F.

ANSWERS

1. If through negligence a certain player fails to take his place at bat during an inning and the mistake is not properly discovered, no action can be taken. The inning stands as played and the next time around the player simply takes his regular turn.

2. Catcher cannot block off the runner unless he has the ball in his possession ready to make the touch. Otherwise runner is entitled to score because of catcher's interference.

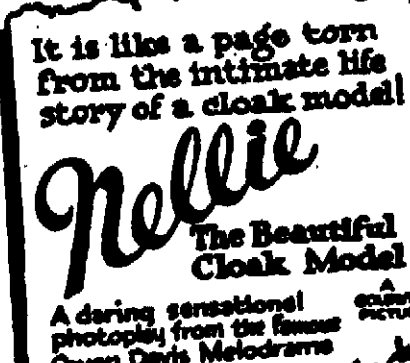
3. Certainly, if he holds his base until the ball is caught. It makes no difference whether it is foul or fair.

4. In a game which has gone over five innings and is then forfeited, the records go into the averages as made.

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Lillian Gish in "The White Sister"

Bailey Brothers Plant Bought By Reynolds Company

(By The Associated Press)

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Aug. 23.—On inquiry today at the office of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco company, it was found that no definite plan for the use of the Bailey Brothers property acquired by purchase from George Penny, of Greensboro, and associates, had yet been made.

It was stated that the property would be used in connection with the general business of this manufacturing concern, the Bailey Brothers building being used for the present, at any rate, for storing and storage.

The deal whereby the Bailey Brothers property, purchased sometime ago by Mr. Penny and associates, was sold to the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco company, was closed late Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Penny was successful bidder when the property was sold at auction, and the sale was confirmed a few days ago. He was in Blowing Rock when advised of the confirmation and immediately came to the city.

Mr. Penny and associates purchased the property of Bailey Brothers, Inc., at a resale held on July 16, their bid being \$300,000. The property had been offered for sale on March 19, at which time the high bid, \$236,550.50, was made by Robert W. Gorrell.

The second sale, brought about by a five per cent. upset bid, was held on May 15, at which time Oscar E. Dooly, of New York city, placed high bid of \$275,000, and Mr. Penny and associates became high bidders at the July sale.

JAPAN BUYS LAW LIBRARIES (By The Associated Press) HAMBURG, Germany, Aug. 23.—Japan is systematically buying valuable German law libraries. The Tohoku University recently acquired the library of Doctor E. Seckel, a celebrated professor, and Tokio University has purchased the 8,000-volume library of Doctor Neubecker, a Heidelberg jurist.

THE BRUTE! (By The Associated Press) "What was his present, dear?" asked a chorus of feminine voices. "Was it a pearl brooch or was it a diamond ring?"

The fair fiancée's eyes, which lately had glittered with glowing anticipation, grew moist.

"It wasn't anything," she replied. "Not anything!" cried her friends in astonishment. "Oh, the brute! How did it happen?"

"Well, you see," explained the bitterly disappointed one, the tears now bursting through their barriers, "he asked me what I wanted, and I told him I'd love him just as much if he didn't get me anything—and s-s-s—he didn't!"

LILA LEE HAS SON (By The Associated Press) LOS ANGELES, Calif., Aug. 23.—A son was born to Lila Lee, motion picture actress and wife of James Earlwood, actor, here yesterday.

This account is full of interest, remarked the Main street banker as he bunched another pass-book.

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